

AUSTRIAN NOTE VERY CONCILIATORY

By Telegram to The Freeman. Washington, March 7.—There will be no diplomatic break with Austria for the present—unless the submaneuvers of the dual monarchy force the hand of President Wilson by some "overt act" in which American lives are endangered. This was stated authoritatively today after officials had digested the reply of the Austrian government to this government's inquiry concerning her attitude on the submarine warfare as conducted by Germany.

The note, which was before President Wilson today, is most conciliatory in tone. Officials realize that the position of the Austrian is very delicate. She must, on the one hand, maintain the stand of Germany, and at the same time do it in such a manner as not to offend the United States to the extent of a diplomatic rupture.

The one point on which the two governments are in flat discord is that of the arming of American merchant vessels.

The Austro-Hungarian government is of the opinion that the arming of merchant vessels, even solely for defense, is not allowed by international law. They are to be regarded as private vessels which may be destroyed.

This paragraph from the Austrian reply may prove a stumbling block in the path of future good relations. President Wilson believes that the right of the government to arm its merchant vessels is beyond question in view of existing conditions, and it is certain that he will go ahead regardless of the Austrian opinion as to its legality. If the Austro-Hungarian government backs up its opinion so far as to sink as American vessel so equipped, the break, it is believed, will come with startling suddenness.

That President Wilson will reply to the Austrian note is believed certain—unless his hand is forced by some "overt act." The Vienna note was so inviting to further negotiations that it is not believed this government can very well avoid further inquiry into the matter without appearing to be forcing the issue.

Whether Count Tarnowski, the newly appointed Austrian ambassador to the United States, will be allowed to present his credentials here now was a debated question in diplomatic circles. Count Tarnowski arrived in Washington at the time of the German break and before the delicate relations between the United States and Austria. Since that time he has not been officially presented.

**P. H. S. DEBATERS CHALLENGE K. H. S.**

Literary Test Clause in Immigration Law is Subject For Oratorical Clash on April 13th—Minstrel Show Postponed.

The Varsity Debating Team of Kingston High School, composed of Edward Stelle, (leader), Travers Gillette and Leonard Lockwood with Aubrey Arnt, as alternate, has been challenged by the Poughkeepsie Debating team for the big annual debate. The challenge calls for a debate in Kingston High School on April 13th. The question submitted by Poughkeepsie High School is: "Resolved: That the literary test clause of the recently passed immigration bill will conduce to the welfare of the United States."

The local teams will meet this Thursday to decide which side it will accept. It is dead in earnest over this debate for last year Poughkeepsie beat the Kingston team in Poughkeepsie for the first time in three years and another beating must be considered impossible.

It is Kingston's turn to debate at home which is a decided advantage in the estimation of the students. As Poughkeepsie did the challenging this year giving the local spellbinders the choice of sides, this is another advantage.

The literary test provision spoken of in the challenge excludes from the United States all aliens over 16 years of age any physically capable of reading who cannot read the English language or some other language or dialect. Any admissible alien however may bring in or send for a father, or grandfather over 55 years of age, his wife, mother, grandfather, unmarried or widowed daughter or otherwise admissible regardless of whether such alien can read or not.

Poughkeepsie will choose one judge, Kingston will choose one and both teams will agree upon some neutral judge. This debate requires the hardest kind of application for its preparation but the scholarship requirements for maintaining a place on the debating teams are supposed to be as strict as the grades necessary for athletic practice.

"Minstrels Postponed."

The Athletic Association Minstrels scheduled for this Friday have been postponed, probably until the 20th of the month.

Asks \$500 for Hurt Fingers.

Marion Marsh, a 11 year old Newburgh girl, has filed a claim against the city for \$500 alleged injuries to her fingers which were cut upon a swinging glass door in the Washington street school.

IRISH PARTY WANTS HOME RULE AT ONCE

By Telegram to The Freeman. London, March 7.—The gravest situation with respect to Ireland since the Dublin rebellion faced the government at today's session of parliament.

Following a meeting of the Irish party it was announced that several leaders will deliver speeches this afternoon demanding immediate Home Rule. The party decided to oppose any further attempts at compromise and to go into opposition to the government if the demands are rejected.

Government leaders fully realize the gravity of the situation. They are particularly anxious to conciliate the Irish leaders and obtain a settlement of the Home Rule question in view of the possible entry of the United States into the war. It is well understood here that the fight for Home Rule in Ireland is apt to attract considerable attention in America at this time.

John Redmond may make his first speech in commons this afternoon. Premier Lloyd-George is expected to state the government's position during the course of the afternoon's debate, though he may postpone a statement until tomorrow. No inkling of what he will say has reached the public though Irish leaders believe he will announce appointment of another commission to investigate the whole matter and are prepared to offer vigorous opposition.

It is no secret that the spirit of unrest is stronger throughout Ireland today than at any time since the quelling of the Dublin riots. Irish leaders are expected to so inform parliament and to charge the Unionists with full responsibility should fresh disorders break out as the result of the government's failure to act.

MATTERS BEFORE THE SURROGATE

Surrogate Gill has issued letters of administration on the estate of Mary Gossoo of the town of Shandaken to her brother, John C. Gossoo to whom letters of administration were also issued on the estate of his mother, Ann Gossoo. The value of the sister's estate is \$250 real estate and \$500 personal property; the value of the mother's estate is \$500 personal property. County Attorney John W. Eckert appeared for the administrator.

A hearing was had in the matter of the judicial settlement of the account of Ethel Fowler, Henry Rusk and Beatrice Zacharie as executors of the estate of Rebecca Rusk of the town of Marlborough and a decree was granted. H. J. Rusk of Cole Spring appeared for the executors. In the matter of the guardianship of J. Cantine Reynolds, letters were issued to Mary H. Reynolds of the town of Wawarsing. H. Westlake Coons appeared for the petitioner.

CAPT. MEAGHER ON COURT.

Poughkeepsie Guardsmen to be Tried for Alleged Disorder.

Col. Kline, of the 10th Regiment, who has just returned from the Mexican border, has ordered a special court martial to be held Thursday, March 8, at 10 o'clock in the armory at Poughkeepsie. This will be held for the purpose of inquiring into the charges against Privates Moore and Whiten, of Company K, of Poughkeepsie. These two men and a civilian, Stanley Whiten, engaged in a serious altercation with one of the guards at the armory. The board will consist of Lieut. Col. Saulpaugh, Maj. Schenck, Capt. Cassidy of Catskill, Capt. Meagher of Kingston, Capt. Kidder and Wheelock of Albany.

Stanley Whiten, the civilian, who was implicated, will be tried before the city court at Poughkeepsie on Friday.

More First Aid Classes.

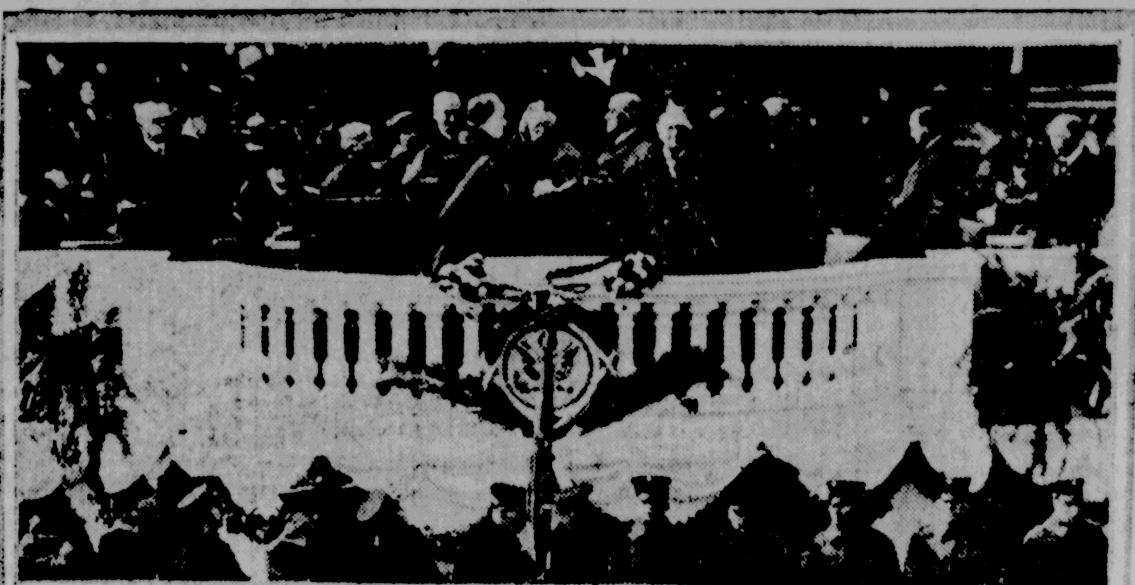
In addition to the first two classes in First Aid work of the Red Cross, organized last week, a third class was formed last evening, with Miss Gertrude Bruyn as president and Miss Rebecca Martin as secretary. This class No. 3 will meet on Tuesday and Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Kingston City Library. Several names have been received by Mrs. Fessenden, secretary of the Ulster County Chapter of the Red Cross, for the forming of another class. This means that now there are over sixty names enrolled for the instruction in First Aid work in this city, a gratifying showing of the patriotism of the community. A movement is on foot for the formation of a men's class also.

An Inexpensive Inspection.

Acting upon instructions from the state department of agriculture at Albany, supervisors in various towns along the Hudson river have made a canvass of growers, wholesalers and cold storage houses to ascertain the quantity of vegetables available as foodstuffs. The Albany authorities think that if the exact conditions are known, prices may be lowered.

Jail Population Eight.

The jail census at Catskill shows eight prisoners, the largest number in custody in many months.



PRESIDENT WILSON TAKING THE OATH. WILSON TAKES OATH OF OFFICE FOR FOUR MORE YEARS.

Photo shows the impressive scene enacted in front of the National Capitol, when President Wilson took the oath of office for four more years. In the picture Chief Justice White is administering the oath to the president.

TAXPAYERS TURN IN POUGHKEEPSIE

The Taxpayers' Association of Poughkeepsie, George Cohen chairman, issued a statement Tuesday in which it said in part: "Those of you who have studied your tax bills for this year, will notice that your city taxes are just 20 per cent or one-fifth higher than last year. There is no reason for this increase in this city's taxes. The indebtedness of this city is not constantly increasing. Therefore to put a stop to the present practices of the Taxpayers' Association advocate the installation of the city manager form of government. This is the same system which the city of Newburgh so successfully installed over a year ago. Under this system, the city manager, who is not a politician, but is employed so long as he gives satisfaction and can be discharged at will, takes care of all contracts and with efficient assistants in each department, all work supervised, economies instituted and a business system installed. The first year Newburgh's city manager form of government shows considerable saving of money, the lowest tax rate in years, and other improvements. Sign the petition which the members of this association are circulating for a special election of the new system."

GAINS MADE AT MARKET OPENING

By Telegram to The Freeman. New York, March 7.—Nearly all the important issues made gains ranging from fractions to over a point at the opening of the stock market today, but at the end of the first fifteen minutes recessions were in order. Steel Common was in steady demand, however, advancing 3/4 to 1 1/4 and some specialties reflected accumulation. Columbia Gas advanced 1 1/2 to 4 1/4. Bethlehem B rose over a point and some of the minor steel industrials, including Pressed Steel Car and American Can, also showed a strong tone. Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies rose 2 to 106. Marine Mid., after opening 3/4 higher at 77 1/2, declined to 76 1/2. Leitch Valley was exceptionally weak. After opening up 1/4 to 58 1/2, it dropped to 58 1/4. Utah Copper was the strongest of the copper shares, advancing 3/4 to 115 1/4. Anaconda rose 3/4 to 85 1/4 but reacted to 85.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Deeds Recently Recorded in County Clerk's Office.

The following deeds have been filed in the office of the county clerk:

Hassie A. Tillson and S. Elizabeth Tillson of Montgomery to Charles H. Penny and wife of Plattekill, a parcel of land in the town of Shawangunk. Consideration \$3,200. Joseph Lashinsky of New York City to Polly Chichelsky of Wawarsing, a parcel of land in the town of Wawarsing. Consideration \$1. Irving Elting and wife of the town of Saugerties to Melitta Hunter of Saugerties, a parcel of land in the town of Saugerties. Consideration \$1.

Albert H. Palmer and wife to J. C. and G. H. Milden of Marlborough, a parcel of land in the town of Marlborough. Consideration \$101. James W. Blackett of Marlborough to Frank Eghez and wife of Rhinecliff, a parcel of land in Marlborough. Consideration \$10.

Benjamin C. Eaton and wife of Ellenville to Floyd B. Garrison and wife of the same place, a parcel of land in Ellenville. Consideration \$1.

Janitor Dawe and Flag.

At the common council meeting on Tuesday night the city fathers and those drawn to the meeting by the Broadway crossing hearing and the church-theater problem, were agreeably surprised to find a large American flag draped behind the president's seat. It had been placed there by Janitor Richard Dawe.

THEATER ORDINANCE UP TO COMMITTEE

Church People Have Ordinance Drawn up and Have it Submitted by Alderman Purvis at Common Council Meeting—Referred to Laws and Rules Committee to Report.

At last some real definite action was taken in the church-theater proposition in Kingston when the vestry of St. John's Church had its attorney, Howard Chipp, prepare a proper ordinance, which was introduced by Alderman Purvis at the regular monthly meeting of the city fathers held on Tuesday evening with the request that it be referred to the laws and rules committee to report back to the council at the April meeting. As usual there were no extra copies of the ordinance prepared for the newspaper men, but in substance the ordinance amends the already existing ordinance and the amendment provides that no theater shall be granted a license if located within 200 feet of any church, with the exception of any existing theaters at the time the ordinance is adopted. The action taken Tuesday evening, of course, leaves the proposition in the same place — was last year with the exception that it is now likely that some action may be taken at the April meeting.

WILL LECTURE ON FIRST AMERICANS

The Beginnings of America to be Described by Arthur P. Abbott at High School Friday Evening—Sidelights on Mexico.

In the lecture on "The First Americans," to be given by Arthur P. Abbott at the high school on the evening of Friday, of this week, under the patronage of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the city, this noted historian, lecturer and writer will make clear to his audience that America is quite as much an "Old World," as are the European or Asiatic countries. Showing the original American race, erroneously and unfortunately designated "Indian," in its purity and greatest glory, Mr. Abbott will also make plain the facts that this race then possessed a relatively high degree of civilization in which feats of engineering, metallurgy, literature, philosophy, arts, government, etc., were in certain respects equal too, if not superior to that of Europe.

Another peculiarly interesting feature of the lecture is that it points out the real conditions which underlie the unrest which is present today and has for years prevailed in Mexico, making it possible to understand and sympathize the better with the majority of its peoples. The lecture will be beautifully illustrated by large oil paintings which will be shown one at a time, in a unique and attractive manner. The school boy or girl who sells the most tickets for this lecture will be given a prize of a copy of Mr. Abbott's book, "The Hudson River Today and Yesterday," illustrated and containing the author's autograph.

That Poughkeepsie Probe.

Twenty more witnesses have been subpoenaed before Supreme Court Justice Morschauser in Poughkeepsie, who is sitting in a John Doe inquiry to determine whether city officials have violated the law in selling supplies to the city. Because some of the officials own stock in the Central Hudson Gas and Electric Company, there is talk of legal action. Mayor Wilbur welcomed the inquiry.

Flagpole for Prima Donna.

A request has been received from Eleanor Henry, prima donna of the Flora Bella Company, to have a flag pole out of the window of her room in The Palatine today, so she can display "Old Glory" while in this city. Miss Henry's ancestors date back to the Mayflower.—Newburgh News.

CITY HALL IS TO BE PAINTED

City Fathers Appropriate \$2,000 For the Job—Claims Against the City—Other Matters at Busy Session.

The exterior of the city hall is at last to receive a much needed cleaning and repainting as the city fathers as the regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening unanimously adopted Alderman Schick's resolution that a sum not to exceed \$2,000 be appropriated for the work. Alderman Connelly presided at the meeting in the absence of President Crane with Alderman Smith, McKittick, Schick, Marquardt, Leverich, Fischer, Kullman, Shultis, Brown, Hull and Purvis present. The only absentees were President Crane and Alderman Parish.

The health board forwarded the claim of Miss Margaret Rieser of Delaware avenue, a trained nurse for loss of time while quarantined in during the infantile paralysis epidemic with the notation that the claim had been rejected by the board. It was referred to the corporation council.

Wants \$2,000.

Louis Goldman of 582 Broadway, through his attorney Judge N. Frank O'Reilly, submitted a claim for \$2,000 for injuries alleged to have been received by slipping and falling in front of the Weiss building on Broadway and East Union street on February 11. Referred to corporation council.

Bill For \$5,200.

Mrs. Cecelia B. O'Reilly submitted a claim for 29,000 yards of stone at \$2,000 and \$200 for use of land in storing stone and roadways a total of \$5,200. Also referred to corporation council.

Mayor's Veto Upheld.

Mayor Canfield's veto on the theater ordinance apparently passed at the last meeting of the common council, and which was printed in The Freeman at the time was read and when a vote was taken the mayor's veto was upheld.

Some Protests.

In connection with the mayor's protest Clerk Doremus read a protest from the Federation of Women's Clubs enclosing 136 post cards from women of the city and also a protest from the Ancient Order of Hibernians to a theater being allowed within 200 feet of any church. Both protests were filed.

Sewer Assessments.

City Assessor Block reported laying special assessments for Thomas street sewer amounting to \$1,977.55, Cornell street sewer amounting to \$122.89, and Andrew street sewer \$720.47. The assessments were approved and a warrant for their collection ordered drawn.

Water Board Bonds.

The water board at the last meeting decided to install four new filters and to pay for them asked the common council Tuesday for permission to retire certain bonds and issue new bonds. A necessary ordinance was adopted.

Resolutions.

Former Alderman Mitchell sent in a communication that he had purchased some land in the Eleventh ward at a city sale for taxes but had been given a deed that did not correctly describe the property and asked that he be given a correct deed. Referred to the corporation council and city treasurer.

Alderman Schick moved that as the residents on Farrelly street had petitioned water board for a water main on that street between Gage street and Flatbush avenue that the board of public works establish grade on that street as soon as weather permits. Referred to the B. P. W.

Alderman Fischer moved that a committee of three be appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Former Alderman Hamburger and President Connelly appointed as such a committee Alderman Fischer, Marquardt and Kullman.

C. of C. to Have Paper.

"For Poughkeepsie" is the name of a new monthly publication to be issued soon by the Chamber of Commerce in that city.

COMPANY M PLANS A MINSTREL SHOW

Storm Had No Terrors for Kingston Guardsmen at Post Dittus—Fun Enlivens Monotony of Daily Round of Duty—Cook Carter Busy as Ever.

Post Dittus, Feb. 5.—In the right church but in the wrong pew, or the mystery of the white hat. How about it Doc?

Every time Jim Howard comes off guard he is singing. Everything is over, I am feeling sad. But Jim does not know that the worst is yet to come.

The boys are going to give a minstrel on St. Patrick's night and Bugler Schupp is director, and believe us, George is right there as a director.

Sergeant Luedtke had a dream last night and he said that the kid is fine. Oh, please, Ed, tell us who the kid is you were dreaming about.

The weather here is everything but good, but the boys are happy and feeling fine. The boys say a little cold will not hurt them.

Lost or Stolen—Corp. Decker. Five dollars reward for him if returned in 24 hours.

The boys are fighting one of the worst nights they have had since they are here. One of the hardest storms anyone has ever been out in, but the boys are dressed warm and stand it fine.

Sergeant Bence and Corp. Netter were out riding today and were caught in the storm and were late in returning. Of course, we do not know where they were but the storm was the cause of their late return. At least we think so.

Sergeant Duncan was in Kingston today and the boys all missed the sergeant.

We have a sign which reads Co. M, and it is made of postal cards which have been sent to the men and we wish to make one of the name of this place, which would be Post Dittus. Will some kind people please send some cards? Thanking you all in advance.

You people heard the old saying, A person cannot be too good, but the man who wrote that saying never met Lieut. Dittus.

Private Bill Clarke entertains us every evening with a few Scotch songs and Bill is right there as a Scotchman.

Sergeant Duncan drove the company's team of horses Saturday. The result is three broken fence posts, 2 broken fences and a new wheel for the wagon.

Private Brown has left us and Private Davis has taken his place. Any information wanted, write to Lon and he can tell you.

George Rafferty and William Cashion were visitors at the Post today. All were glad to have them here with us.

Private Messenger, of Detachment No. 4, is homesick. We hope that the dear little boy will get a chance to go home soon.

The boys will not have to come to Kingston to take a bath any more if Private Keator keeps talking around here, as he is as good as a shower when he gets going once.

Priv. L. Schulberg says he does not expect to go to Kingston on his next 24 hour leave, but that he is going to Walden. Wonder what has happened in Kingston? Or has he moved to Walden, Lon?

Sergeant Luedtke came back from Kingston today all smiles. Things must have gone fine for the Sergeant while he was in Kingston.

The cry of the boys to the cooks: Give us just a little more, please, just a little more.

Is the demand from non-coms and privates?

And it makes Cook Carter sore. A spoonful added on to this, and a spoonful on to that.

Until Cook Carter scarcely knows where he is getting at. Now, how long can he afford to dish it out with spoons?

While the cost of everything is having such a boom?

Just another spoonful ask the boys or our cooks?

Not another morsel, and Lou gives us a look.

Give him all he wants, Carter says, it's only fair.

And up goes Bob's one finger straight up into the air.

Bob says this world is large, the fare is small.

There's just one spoonful for us all.

PANHANDLER SENT TO ALBANY PEN

Michael Kelly, 42 years old, who says his home is in New York, was arrested in Tuesday afternoon by Police Officer Hess on a charge of panhandling near the West Shore station. It was claimed that when Kelly was turned down by any one he accosted for money that he would use profane language. Kelly was arraigned before Recorder Lang this morning at which time it was brought out that Officer Hess had notified Kelly on Monday to get out of town and Kelly had promised to do so at that time, but had failed to keep his word. Kelly said he had been drinking and offered that as an excuse for his actions. It was evident that this was not the first time he had been picked up by a policeman for this morning he pleaded for an hour to get out of town. Recorder Lang sentenced him to three months in the pen at Albany.

IS A CALF IN A BAG TIED?

That is a Question That Commissioner C. L. McBride of Health Board Would Like Answered—Thrilling Chase Through City Streets.

"Is a calf in a bag tied?" That is a question that Commissioner Charles L. McBride of the health board would like answered in a satisfactory manner. Under the law it is a violation to convey a calf through the city with its legs tied together. In this case the calf's legs were not tied together but the calf was confined in a burlap bag with just its head sticking out, and the question raised is whether the law was violated.

It was two by the town clock when a man strode into Commissioner McBride's drug store on central Broadway, and called his attention to the fact that a man was passing through the city streets with a calf confined in a bag in his wagon. The bag had been placed under the driver's seat and only the head was visible as it emerged from the bag.

Commissioner McBride sounded a call for his trusty automobile, and in the confusion following overlooked the fact that he was a special officer and capable of making an arrest if the law was violated, and jumping into the machine started for the city hall to secure an officer. The road leading up to the city hall is filled with snow and the automobile made difficult work of climbing to the top, and it was only due to the well known abilities of Commissioner McBride as a driver that the machine finally pulled through and stopped at police headquarters when Policeman Ray Saeffhoff was detailed to accompany the commissioner and capture the man with the calf in the bag.

In the meantime the man with the calf had started downtown by way of Hasbrouck avenue, and the delay occasioned by the commissioner's machine making the city hall bill caused the man with the calf to get a leading start which he retained all the way.

With Officer Saeffhoff hanging on to the sideboard so that no time would be lost the commissioner's car was driven at a fast rate of speed in the direction of Rondout. When the man with the calf was finally overhauled and the commissioner and cop pulled up on the scene they found the calf in the barn. It had been released from the confines of the bag.

Further developments will follow when the question that starts of this tale of a thrilling chase of the man with the calf in the bag is answered in the affirmative. That is if a calf in a bag is tied.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, March 7.—Esonus Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in their rooms in Hutton's Hall on Broadway.

Miss Ola N. Short of 161 Tremper avenue, Kingston, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hutchings on Broadway Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Gustaf Taylor, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hotelling, on Broadway, returned to her home in Albany Tuesday.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Church will be held in the chapel this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Frank Snyder of North Broadway, who has been ill of grip, is better and able to be out again.

Mrs. Harry Mabie of Green street is visiting relatives in Springtown.

George Proper of Slighsburg, who has been ill of grip, is better and has resumed his occupation for J. Sligh's Sons, coal dealers.

Mrs. John Holliday is ill at her home on Bowne street.

The Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday school met at the parsonage Tuesday evening. There were fourteen members present. After the business session refreshments were served and games played. The Bible class has renewed interest and every member is an active member and all are looking forward to increased numbers.

Bitten by a Dog.

Arthur Ellison, the well known jeweler on upper Broadway, reported to the police late Tuesday that he had been attacked and bitten by a dog owned by William Miller, the taxicab man, when he was passing Mr. Miller's home on Elmendorf street.

For Women to Women.

A woman's edition of the Walden Citizen-Herald will be issued next Tuesday with Marion Lawall Wilcox in charge. Topics of interest to woman-kind will feature the issue.

Father Kelly at St. Mary's.

The Rev. James Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Kelly of Lindsley avenue, will preach at the Lenten services in St. Mary's Church this evening.

Dancing Between Acts.

Following the example of the Century Theatre in New York, the Academy of Music in Newburgh will afford dancing in the foyer between the acts of a musical comedy tonight.

Patriotism Militant.

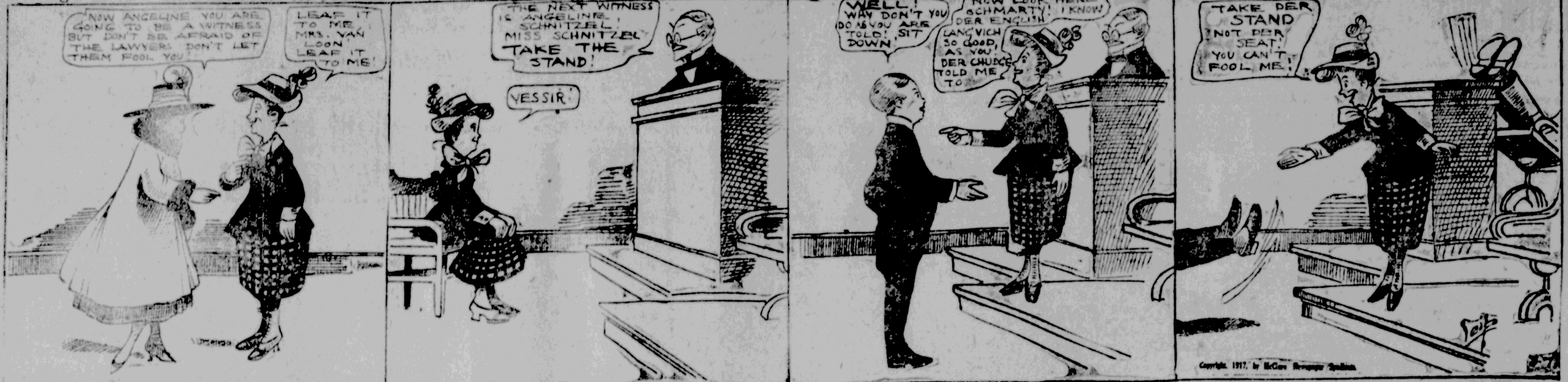
A twelve-year-old boy who refused to salute the stars and stripes at assembly in the West Street school, Newburgh, was chastised by his mates.







## Doings of the Van Loons- No you can't fool Angeline.



## BE GENEROUS

Extravagance is not a virtue, but if a dollar is your best friend, don't give it life imprisonment without a fair trial. Money talks. Listen to what it says and do it justice. You can't hide it away in the dark forever, as if you were ashamed to be seen with it, and then expect it to sit up on its hind legs and make you laugh when you feel the "blues." Take a dollar out to pal around with you occasionally. Let it provide for you a case of

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## STREET GOSSIP ABOUT TOWN

"Well, I have joined the D. E. P. League," said the street corner politician as he met his friend on the street.

"What's that?" asked the friend questioningly.

"I have joined the D. E. P. League," answered the politician briskly.

"What league is that?" asked the friend.

"The Don't Eat Potatoes League," replied the politician. "The idea is to force down the price of potatoes to where a reasonable price is asked."

"What do you call a reasonable price?" asked the friend.

"Not 90 cents a peck," retorted the politician.

The politician continued: "I can remember the time and so can you when you could practically buy two bushels of potatoes for the price asked for a single peck today."

"That's right," said the friend, but what's the use of joining any league to force down the price?"

"If every fifth family in New York state would abstain from eating potatoes," replied the politician, "I presume, it would mean that the dealers holding potatoes for a higher price would be forced to sell."

"Why potatoes will keep," argued the friend.

"You are now getting to the time of year," replied the politician, "when potatoes will soon begin to sprout in the cellars for planting time will soon be here, and when they once begin to sprout they are not much good to eat."

"Well, I can't say," replied the friend, "I am no farmer."

"Changing the subject," said the politician, "what do you think about this question of eliminating the Broadway crossing?"

"I have not given the matter much thought," confessed the friend.

"Can't say that I have either," replied the politician, "but I am positive that the city at the present time is not in a position to issue bonds to pay for its share of the cost."

"So I have heard," said the friend. "City Clerk Doremus has not got such a bad idea of eliminating the crossing," continued the politician.

"What is his idea?" asked the friend.

"From what I gather," the politician replied, "Mr. Doremus's idea would be to enlarge the present subway."

"What subway?" asked the friend.

"The one used by the Colonial trolley line," explained the politician, "to widen it out so as to be wide enough to accommodate two car lines, a roadway for vehicles, and a path for pedestrians."

"Sounds fair," commented the friend.

"His idea would be," continued the politician, "to have a sort of balcony above the roadway for foot passengers. By using this subway would leave the Broadway crossing as it is, but would allow traffic to turn in and pass through the subway."

"How about the crossing gates?" asked the friend.

"Leave them just as they are," replied the politician, "and in time the greater part of the traffic would be used to passing under the subway, and the Broadway crossing would not receive such heavy traffic as at present."

"Is the traffic heavy on Broadway?" asked the friend.

"Why don't you remember the figures the mayor had accumulated showing the amount of traffic?" asked the politician.

"Well," it amounted into the thousands," replied the politician.

"I was talking with a police officer," continued the politician, "who was on duty part of the time securing the figures and he tells me that the morning he was on duty he kept track for the fun of it of the number of times the Broadway gates were lowered."

"About fifty times," I should imagine," interrupted the friend.

"Exactly 200 times," retorted the politician.

"I did not think it was that many," confessed the friend.

"Now say that every time the gates were lowered occupied at least one minute," said the politician, "that would take how many minutes that morning?"

"Two hundred minutes," said the friend.

"Which makes a little over three hours of actual time consumed," pointed out the politician.

## WANTED HIS CLOTHES.

So He Interviewed Recorder Lang With Success.

Recorder Lang is kept busy these days and is likely to hand out justice outside of recorder's court as in it. Tuesday afternoon when he stepped into Murphy's news store on the Strand a stranger passing by suddenly stopped and with a muttered exclamation, "There he is," stepped into the store and accosted Recorder Lang and asked if he could help him out.

"What's the trouble?" asked the judge.

The man seeking a favor said that a hotel proprietor had kept his clothes and when he had gone for them that morning he had been turned down. He was positive that he owned no board bill or other bill, and all he wanted was his clothes.

The telephone is a handy thing even in courts of justice and Recorder Lang stepping to the phone had the proprietor called to the phone and asked him what there was about it.

The matter was amicably adjusted and the stranger left the store rejoicing on his way to secure his clothes.

## Concert This Evening.

The program of the choral concert to be given in the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church this evening at 8 o'clock is as follows:

Processional Hymn 267 .... Wesley

Choral Choir. .... Abt

Chorus—Evening Song ..... Abt

Choral Choir. .... Abt

Vocal Duet—Abide With Me ..... Schneider

Mrs. Snyder and Miss Young.

Tenor Solo—Gethsemane, (Cantata Via Crucis) ..... Snyder

Arthur Rifenburg.

Chorus—O Be Joyful in the Lord, (Jubilate) ..... Schaffner

Choral Choir.

Vocal Duet—Saved by Grace, Snyder

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Snyder.

Vocal Trio—My Hope, My All, My Saviour Thou ..... Wiegand

Mrs. Snyder, Miss Young and Mr. Rifenburg.

Chorus—How Lovely Are the Messengers, (St. Paul) ..... Mendelssohn

Choral Choir.

Vocal Duet—Jesus, Saviour Pilot Me ..... Pontius

Mrs. Snyder and Mr. Rifenburg.

Vocal Trio—The Wings of Morning

Mrs. Snyder, Mr. Rifenburg and Mr. Snyder.

Chorus—Holy Saviour, (St. Cecilia Mass) ..... Gounod

Mrs. Snyder, Mr. Rifenburg and Choral Choir.

Vocal Duet—Rise Crowned With Light ..... Brackets

Mr. Rifenburg and Mr. Snyder.

Vocal Trio—Hear Our Prayer ..... Verdi

Mrs. Snyder, Mr. Rifenburg and Mr. Snyder.

Closing Chorus—Praise the Lord, (Benedicite Anima Mea) ..... Chadwick

## Po'keepsie's Defense League.

Po'keepsie's police commissioners at the regular meeting Monday decided to establish a Home Defense League. At least one hundred able-bodied citizens are requested to join the auxiliary and enroll. They will be asked to aid the police department if occasion demands in doing the duty of a patrolman and will serve four hour shifts. The names of those who enroll will be kept secret.

## Newburgh's New Minister.

The Rev. Clarence J. Harris, writer of film play, "The Daughter of the Gods" in which Annette Kellerman starred, and which so greatly horrified Evangelist Peacock, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Church of Our Father in Newburgh.

## Cats of High Degree.

Mrs. C. Arthur Dolson of No. 714 Broadway, is the proud owner of three Persian kittens, she owning the mother, "Abbe," a prize winner of first prize at Madison Square Garden, and her kittens having sold for \$75.

**Grape-Nuts**

IS RECOGNIZED THE WORLD OVER AS A FOOD OF PURE FLAVOR AND EXCEPTIONAL MERIT

"THERE'S A REASON"

## Weak Lungs and Chest Troubles

respond more quickly to the blood-enriching oil-food in

## SCOTT'S EMULSION

than to any other one medicine. SCOTT'S is a rich, nourishing food to strengthen tender throats and bronchial tubes. It is of peculiar benefit to the respiratory tract and is liberally used in tuberculosis camps for that purpose. You get no alcohol in Scott's.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 16-22

## Annual Corporation Election.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of Valentin Burgevin, Inc., held on Monday, George Burgevin, David Burgevin and Mabel H. Burgevin were elected directors for the following year. Judge James A. Betts and Joseph R. Schiavone were inspectors of election.

## Your Child.

It is almost as important to teach your child to be cheerful as it is to teach him to breathe deep and to brush his teeth daily. Being cheerful aids digestion, quickens the circulation, in fact, gives tone and vigor to the entire body. The cheerful child rarely complains of minor ailments.

## OUR DAILY PATTERN.



A Comfortable Model.

1850—Ladies' Yoke Apron. This design is practical and desirable. The yoke is cut with the sleeve in one. Ample pockets trim the apron front. Lawn, gingham, seersucker, linene, drill, satene and alpaca are good for its development. The pattern is cut in 3 sizes: Small, medium and large. It requires 5 1/2 yards of 36 inch material for a medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamp by the Pattern Department, The Freeman, Rondout, N. Y. Be sure to state the size wanted.

## Catalogue Notice.

Send 10 cents in silver or stamp for our up-to-date 1917 large Spring and Summer Fashion Catalogue, containing over 550 designs of Ladies', Misses and Children's Garments in Correct Fashions, a Concise and Comprehensive Article on Dressmaking, also some Points for the Needle, (illustrating 30 of the various simple stitches), all valuable hints to the home dressmaker.

## A Complete Manual in Crochet and Tatting!

Just what you will say when you get our instruction book. Our Crochet and Tatting book contains more than 50 profusely illustrated designs such as lunch on size, daisies, tray cloths, towel rings, insertions, edgings, yokes for corset covers, light gowns, and a variety of tatting designs for baby-wear, etc. Below each article illustrated in our instruction book will be found a complete list of materials required, together with a simplified course on all stitches used in making up the article. This complete manual will be sent upon receipt of 10 cents in stamps or silver. Write your name and address plainly and address your letter to the Pattern Dept., Freeman Publishing Co., Kingston, N. Y.

## The KITCHEN CABINET

Make yourselves nests of pleasant thoughts.

Bright fancies, satisfied memories, noble histories, faithful savings, treasure houses of precious and useful thoughts, which care cannot disturb, nor pain make gloomy, nor poverty take away from us—house built without hands for our souls to live in.—John Ruskin.

## SEASONABLE DISHES.

In many small places it is next to impossible to get any variety of fresh meat. Lamb and mutton are high and so are other meats, but the housekeeper who plans her meals is able to make a small piece of meat furnish the meal by cooking it on casseroles with vegetables. A pound of mutton browned, then dredged with flour, water and a quart of shredded carrots added with a small chopped onion and allowed to stew for two or three hours makes a most satisfying dish.



Bavarian Veal Chops.—Place in a saucepan, six loin chops with a sliced onion, six slices of carrot, two cloves, a few peppercorns, two tablespoons of butter and enough boiling water to cover. Cook slowly until the meat is tender. Drain, season well, roll in flour and saute in pork fat until brown. Serve with the vegetable, finely chopped, in a brown sauce with cooked macaroni.

Swedish Fish Soup.—Make a stock by cooking the head, tail, fins and any bones of a white fish like cod, haddock or halibut, in cold water to cover. Add a slice each of onion and carrot, a piece of bay leaf and a few pepper corns. Cook slowly for one hour, then strain and thicken with two tablespoons of flour and butter cooked together, using one quart of stock, season to taste with salt, paprika and add just before serving a pint of milk. Garnish with a few peas or chopped parsley.

Red Cabbage.—Wash and shred fine one head of red cabbage. Put in a deep skillet a spoonful of drippings and a shredded onion, when the onion is a light brown, add the cabbage, stir well and add boiling water to cover. Cook one hour, then add three thinly sliced apples and a pinch of salt, let boil ten minutes; then stir in a level tablespoonful of flour, blended with three tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Boil up and serve hot.

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573 Wall street, Kingston, N. Y. CHARTERED 1874.

**OFFICERS:**  
MYRON TELLER, President.  
GEORGE BURGEVIN, Vice-President.  
V. B. VAN WAGONE, Vice-President.  
CHARLES TAPPEN, Treasurer.  
CHARLES H. DE LAVERGNE, Assistant Treasurer.  
HARRY ENSIGN, Accountant.  
JAMES BETTS, Counsel.

**TRUSTEES:**  
James A. Betts, George Burgevin, Levan S. Winne, D. N. Mathews, Sam Bernsteins, A. D. Rose, Myron Teller, Virgil B. Van Wagone, Ervin E. Norwood.

Deposits made on or before April 8, 1917, and remaining in bank until July 1, 1917, will be credited with three (3) months' interest. Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, postoffice or express money order.

Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.

Interest at the rate of 4 per cent annum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1916. Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month. Monies withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

## ULSTER COUNTY Savings Institution

280 Wall Street, Kingston, N. Y. INCORPORATED 1861.

**E. H. LOUGHRAN,** President.  
**HARRY B. BUGHAM,** Vice-President.  
**CHARLES S. WOOD,** Vice-President.  
**J. M. SCHAEFFER,** Secretary.  
**JOHN B. ALLIGER,** Treasurer.  
**JAMES J. O'CONNOR,** Treasurer.  
**JOHN R. T. HALL,** Bookkeeper.  
**PHILIP ELTING,** Attorney.

**TRUSTEES:**  
John B. Alliger, G. D. B. Hasbrouck, H. R. Brigham, E. H. Loughran, David Burgevin, John L. McGrath, Howard Chipp, J. M. Schaeffer, Philip Elting, William C. Shafer, George Hutton, E. S. Wood, Ogden F. Winne.

For the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1916, interest was credited Jan. 1st, 1917, at 4 per cent per annum. Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest.

Money deposited on or before March 3rd and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1917, will be credited with four (4) months' interest.

Women and children under age have by law the control of their own saving bank accounts.



CITIZENS' LEAGUE  
OF ULSTER COUNTY

Annual Meeting and Election Held at  
Sahler's Sanitarium on Tuesday  
Was Well Attended—Some of the  
Addresses Made.

A meeting of the Citizens' League  
of Ulster County was held on Tues-  
day, March 6th, at the Dr. Sahler  
sanitarium. The large hall was  
carefully trimmed with American  
flags and was well filled.

The meeting was called to order  
by the president, Dr. C. O. Sahler.  
The audience all joined in singing  
America, accompanied on the piano  
by Miss Gallagher, and the cornet by  
Mr. Taylor. Then followed prayer  
by Rev. Edward Dingman of West  
Camp.

After the singing of the "Star  
Spangled Banner," the president, Dr.  
C. O. Sahler, read his report for the  
year, which was most heartily and  
enthusiastically received.

It was expected that addresses  
would be made by Mrs. Florence Up-  
degraff and Olin S. Bishop, but both  
were unavoidably absent.

The president appointed on the  
committee on nominations the fol-  
lowing:

Rev. John Anthony, J. B. Palmer  
and Thomas Snyder.

Committee on resolutions—Rev.  
Dr. P. N. Chase, Dr. C. B. Cragin and  
H. Westlake Coons.

The treasurer, Rev. P. N. Chase,  
then read his annual report, show-  
ing that a—paying all debts of  
the league there was a balance in  
the treasury of about \$10, and con-  
tributions were subscribed amount-  
ing to \$225.

The following resolution, offered  
by Dr. Chase, was adopted:

"Whereas, this congressional dis-  
trict, with the exception of Columbia  
county on the last local option vote  
taken gave over 1,250 majority  
against the saloon, and even with  
Columbia county added gave a trifling  
over 400 majority for the saloon  
and

"Whereas, thirty-nine towns voted  
yet, while forty-three voted dry in  
part or wholly so, and

"Whereas, the dry votes represent  
the financial, moral and religious  
sentiment of the district;

"Therefore, we, representative  
citizens of Ulster county, protest  
against the action of our congress-  
man, Hon. Charles Ward, in voting  
against all temperance measures in  
congress, knowing that he is there-  
by misrepresenting the sentiment of  
a majority of all of the best people of  
the 27th congressional district.

"Resolved, that this action, signed  
by the president and secretary of  
this league, shall be forwarded to Mr.  
Ward."

A motion was made and carried  
that a committee, composed of Dr. C.  
O. Sahler, Edward Smiley, Dr. P. N.  
Chase, Rev. Henry D. Frost, H. West-  
lake Coons, be appointed a part to  
attend the hearing of the Hill-  
Wheeler bill at Albany, March 7,  
and the others to attend a hearing  
on important legislation the week  
following.

The committee on nominations  
made its report as follows:

Executive Committee.

Rev. Henry D. Frost.

Dr. Chauncey B. Cragin.

Rev. P. N. Chase.

Dr. C. O. Sahler.

Rev. T. A. Beckman.

Edward A. Smiley.

Morgan K. Coutant.

Rev. J. V. Wemple.

Fred L. Metcalf.

Ray Gabley, R. Smith, Roy Decker,

Henry DeVoe, Charles Anderson, the

Rev. Henry D. Frost, Accord.

Lewis Siskier, Ardona.

Abner Winne, the Rev. F. J. Fife,

J. H. Fife, Ashokan.

Green L. Davis, Atwood.

Vernon Marks, Belleayre.

W. R. Shults, Thomas Shults,

Bearsville.

Preston Bundage, Riley A. Van

Aken, Claryville.

W. O. Schwarzwaelder, Chichester.

H. W. Sutton, the Rev. E. R. Pyle,

the Rev. J. D. Piper, Clintondale.

Ray B. Walker, Lewis Connor, Cot-

kill.

The Rev. A. Zabriskie, Blooming-

ton.

Edward A. Smiley, Alfred N. Rapp,

John Lathrop, John Rapp, Dwight

Devine, James Brown, H. Westlake

Coons, R. A. Graham, the Rev. Wal-

ter S. Mains, George F. Andrews, A.

Rapp, Ellenville.

John L. Schultz, Esopus.

S. M. Cole, Glasco.

John Everts, Gardiner.

Isaac Conklin, Gardiner R. F. D.

John L. Siskier, Glenford.

M. B. Tanner, Grahamsville.

Howard Wilcox, C. J. Elting, Fred

L. Metcalf, W. E. Wilcox, James

Westcott, Dr. John I. Becker, John

Schuhle, Floyd Bennett, Highland.

Charles E. Cornell, M. S. Davis,

Richard R. F. D.

Thomas Snyder, Moses Davis, Dr.

Hutchinson, W. H. Hornbeck, Samuel

Schoonmaker, High Falls.

Charles A. Snyder, Charles Du-

mond, the Rev. Jesse T. Drafee, Hur-

ry.

The Rev. G. C. Dangremont, High

Falls.

Field Committee.

Dr. Chauncey B. Cragin, the Rev.

ton, the Rev. G. M. Crans-

dricks, Edward Snyder, Lorenzo

Short, E. E. Devo, Irving Rose,

Charles Hogan, Linds T. Ryder, Wil-

iam M. Davis, A. H. Hayes, Edgar

S. Schepman, Ira Woolsey, William

S. Simmons, J. S. Hornbeck, Peter

Baker, H. W. Carl, the Rev. P. N.

Chase, Prof. M. J. Michael, Charles

F. Coutant, Kingston.

Chester N. Freer, A. J. Cornell,

Base L. Sahler, Dr. William P. Ful-

ler, James R. Doyle, Charles Terwil-

liger, the Rev. William Pyne, Ker-

monkton.

Eliza Merrihew, Benj. Merrihew,

Kanville.

John Roosa, DeForest Bishop, Ky-

burg.

Alexander Johnston, Marlborough.

George W. Terpening, W. M. Cut-

ler, Grant E. Robinson, Malden.

John, the Rev. R. A. Knapp, Marl-

borough.

James Fairbridge, the Rev. F. A.

After all, the most powerful argu-

Hawley, Modena.  
The Rev. J. S. Lull, Milton.  
James Schoonmaker, James Ayer,  
Mohank Lake.  
O. F. DeGraff, Montoma.  
The Rev. W. H. Seiple, Mt. Marion.  
O. D. Baker, H. B. Graham, Maple-  
dale.  
Dr. W. N. Thayer, the Rev. Morton  
C. Seiple, Napanoch.  
John P. Hull, P. M. Van Syckle,  
Morgan K. Coutant, Dr. J. T. Male,  
Frank Van Syckle, John Van Derlyn,  
the Rev. J. Douglas, the Rev. M.  
Oggle, John H. Hasbrouck, New  
Paltz.  
Perry Loomis, Ralph Longyear,  
Fred Riseley, Lee Breithaupt,  
the Rev. J. R. Vaughn, J. A. Lord, Abram  
J. Longyear, Phoenicia.  
Mrs. Helen A. Palmer, J. B. Pal-  
mer, Plattekill.  
Sylvanus Van Aken, Elmer Hutch-  
ings, the Rev. E. A. Bookhout, Henry  
McKenzie, Port Ewen.  
J. V. Merrihew, Frank Roosa, Olive  
Bridge.

John Schaff, Quarryville.  
The Rev. Henry Smith, Rifton.  
The Rev. T. A. Beckman, Rutsen  
TenHagen, the Rev. R. J. Simmons,  
Odel Smith, Rosendale.  
John Thornton, Spring Glen.  
C. E. Cornell Longyear, South Ron-  
dout.  
Edwin Winchell, Shokan.  
C. E. Davis, the Rev. F. M. Turren-  
tine, the Rev. H. L. Hoag, the Rev.  
Geo. T. Heintz, Franklin Fuller,  
Charles Tompkins, Saugerties.  
Frank Bishop, Benj. Hoyer, Stone  
Ridge.

The Rev. H. W. Brink, Benjamin  
F. Fellows, Saugerties.  
The Rev. Nicholas S. Hess, Sauger-  
ties R. F. D.  
Jeremiah Post, St. Remy.

The Rev. S. W. Stevens, Leonard  
P. Clark or Kenneth K. Clark, the  
Rev. Joseph Millett, the Rev. A. S.  
Coutant, Peter Devo, George Davis,  
W. E. Clark, D. Tilton, Chauncey  
Slater, Tilton.

Leslie Herring, the Rev. C. Van  
Oostenbrugge, John Herring, Ulster  
Park.

W. H. Slater, West Hurley.

Oscar Mosher, Norman Smith, the  
Rev. Grenville Kerr, Woodstock.

Edwin Dingman, West Camp.

Warren V. Devo, Walkill.

Nathan Ackhart, West Park.

Silas Krom, Olive Bridge.

C. L. Shuffelt, Zena.

Edw. W. Zinnus, West Shokan.

William Becker, Charles B. Tif-  
fany, Malden.

Edgar Ellsworth, Eddyville.

The report of the committee was  
duly adopted.

Dr. Chase offered a resolution re-  
ferring to Senate Bill 733 as fol-  
lows:

"Resolved, that we request our  
state senator and assemblyman not  
only to vote against the bill, but to  
do all lawful things to defeat it, as  
well as any other bill intended to de-  
stroy the religious observance of the  
Sabbath.

"Resolved, that we request our  
senators and assemblymen to use  
their best efforts to defeat Senate  
Bill 733 as it is most objectionable.

"Resolved, that we also request  
them to give their votes and in-  
fluence in favor of the Optional Pro-  
hibition Bill, the Hill-Wheeler Local  
Option Bill and the State Wide Pro-  
hibition Bill."

This resolution was duly adopted.

A bountiful repast was found  
awaiting the members of the league  
when they entered the large dining  
room of the sanitarium, which has  
recently been decorated and was  
beautifully decorated with flags in  
honor of the occasion, making the  
banquet a most attractive one.

The Rev. Henry D. Frost was  
called upon and spoke as follows:

"It seems to be a happy omen  
that the sun came out for our mes-  
sage. It gives promise of a year of  
prosperity and success in our work  
and now the great thing is to start  
the great spring drive. This is to  
start today and drive right on  
through and next November we are  
going to make a home run and get  
there. There is no reason why we  
should not if only we do our work.  
If we are wide awake and ready for  
our opportunities, no reason why we  
cannot make these twenty towns  
every one dry, why we cannot bring  
the battle up to the very gates of  
Kingston and then it may be that our  
friends here will have the opportu-  
nity to finish the job almost before  
we have done our job outside. For  
this spring drive we must have am-  
munition stored up. The allies in  
New York state have accumulated  
ammunition from all communities  
all over the country and the arsenal  
are now fully crammed. So in our  
spring drive we can use the biggest  
guns we have. There is William J.  
Byron and the big guns down in  
congress, all coming out on the pro-  
hibition side and the enemies' guns  
are either left spiked on the field or  
have been captured. Read some of  
the editorials in Washington and  
Oregon. One editor said, 'I fought  
prohibition as hard as I could, but I  
found out I was wrong and prohibi-  
tion is all right.' In New York state  
the allies have come together in  
this great council. They have sug-  
gestions and leaders and have joined  
forces and have worked out a unified  
plan of action. Now we are together  
in New York state all those who are  
against the liquor business, Pro-  
hibitionists, W. C. T. U., Anti-  
Saloon League, Citizens' League,  
every organization is headed for one  
goal. The thing is all ready for  
movement, ready for the word for-  
ward and that word is coming from  
Ulster county and sound in our ears  
so we will go right on through. The  
advance has begun far down the  
line.

"If we stand together upon this  
issue the winning of the battle is  
just a matter of a few years and if  
we put into it the very best we have.  
Let every dry town not only hold its  
own, but give assistance to one wet  
town. We are going on to glorious  
victory."

Attorney H. Westlake Coons of  
Ellenville then spoke as follows:

It is a source of real regret to me  
that I have to make a report from a  
wet town and not a town which is  
steadily dry, as is the town of  
Rochester represented by our neigh-  
bor, Mr. Frost. Nevertheless we can  
claim Rochester as our next door  
neighbor and can claim that the  
spirit and lesson which has been  
taught by Rochester in adhering  
year after year to its policy of dry-  
ness has become a lesson to the  
voters of our town.

After all, the most powerful argu-

ment a wet town can use is to point  
to a dry town and say that year after  
year that town, instead of falling  
down, is voting dry by increased and  
ever increasing majority.

Suppose we were to go into a war,  
would you look about for men to  
come and help you who were  
frequenters of saloons? No, when we  
face war we think of these things, we  
went the best American blood and  
the best brain and brawn that can be  
put behind the guns we will have to  
furnish perhaps, and the possibility  
is not so remote. The mere shadow  
of patriotism demands that forthwith  
liquor be abolished in order that our  
families be fed and if we have to  
send our boys to the field that we  
send them clear-eyed, strong-armed  
and steady-footed to meet the foe.

Rev. Walter S. Mains of Ellenville  
was then called upon and gave a  
stirring address, which can be given  
only in part:

I speak to you from a general  
standpoint on the general discussion  
of the question, being unable to  
speak of local questions on account  
of lack of time to this community.

Mention has been made by some  
speakers of a change of emphasis  
from the moral to the economic on  
this question and in this hour there  
are patriotic arguments against the  
liquor traffic, but being a minister of  
the Gospel I am justified in looking  
at the moral side.

One of the arguments voiced by  
the opponents of prohibition is that  
they are having their personal  
liberty interfered with and also that  
prohibition legislation would be un-  
American and contrary to American  
principles. You must realize there  
are conditions under which a man's  
personal liberty must be restrained.  
If this principle did not exist there  
would be no civil law in this country.

Perhaps you may have a high power  
car, the car is yours, and you are  
perhaps in possession of a driver's  
license which you have paid for. But  
if you take that car down Wall street  
a sixty miles an hour, the civil  
authorities will have something to  
say about it, they will prohibit you  
from racing that car because you are  
interfering with the public safety, so  
the personal liberty of the liquor  
traffic is only interfered with when  
that liberty itself assails the public  
health or peace. We enact laws to  
restrain a man's personal liberty,  
governing laws, on homicide and  
burglary.

We realize what the influence of  
liquor has been when we figure up  
and find the large percentage of  
pauperism and insanity and sickness  
that can be laid at the door of the  
liquor traffic. Twenty-five per cent  
is the lowest that can be attributed  
to any one of these.

But about the most futile argument  
used by opponents of prohibition is  
that if prohibition should be enacted  
society would lose its charm. Just  
think, we should lose the charm of  
blear-eyed mendicancy; we should  
lose the charm of abject poverty, the  
charm of crime. Life would lose its  
charm!

Mrs. Ella A. Boole spoke in part as  
follows:

It is a great pleasure to be here  
this afternoon and share in the feast  
that has been spread before us and to  
hear what you are saying about your  
campaign to make Ulster county dry.  
It has been my pleasure this past  
year to share in campaigns in a num-  
ber of states. I was in Nebraska in  
their campaign and in Idaho during  
their campaign. It was my privilege  
to be in Alaska all summer as one of  
two speakers who toured that great  
territory. The result of the cam-  
paign was overwhelming majority for  
prohibition in Alaska so I have to re-  
alize that New York is behind in some  
phases of this great reform move-  
ment. The situation differs in differ-  
ent states. In Alaska it was a great  
economic question.

It is a big country in every way.  
The liquor people thought they had  
won the fight because the San Fran-  
cisco Liquor Dealers' Association  
bought the newspapers in Alaska and  
they were publishing the copy fur-  
nished by the San Francisco Liquor  
Dealers' Association. The people up  
there were afraid to take a stand on  
the temperance question. The  
liquor people sent out word one  
night when there was going to be a  
meeting when I was up there that no  
one was to go. They have five times  
as many men in the meetings as we  
men, because there are so many more  
men there. The last sixty days of  
the campaign we bought the news-  
papers and put in facts and answered  
their arguments and when the elec-  
tion came every incorporated town  
in Alaska had gone dry. What  
made Alaska have such a big vote?  
The business men had something to  
do with it but I believe the most im-  
portant factor was that a great many  
men in Alaska came from western  
states that are for prohibition and  
Seattle is the gateway to Alaska and  
the State of Washington had had  
prohibition six months and early in  
July a Seattle paper published the  
facts about prohibition in Washing-  
ton and in Seattle especially. There  
were 330 saloons in Seattle and when  
prohibition closed them people said  
there will be empty stores. I was  
there the first of July and 300 of  
those stores were occupied by other  
business. The other 30 were being  
repaired and had tenants ready to  
take them when they were ready. I  
visited Portland and Denver and in  
both places it was said the tourists  
would not come if prohibition was  
to come in, but in both places I ex-  
amined the reports of the board of  
trade and in both cases the following  
summer after prohibition did come in  
the report said was the best year for  
tourists they had ever had and the  
tourists spent their money freely.

I could stand here half a day and  
tell you stories about the results of  
prohibition in these states and other  
states are learning about it. We  
have to keep changing our map.  
Two months ago we had twenty-three  
states and now we have twenty-five  
with Alaska, before the year is out  
it will probably be more and possibly  
Porto Rico and Iowa votes this fall.  
You can't keep track of it. Wyom-  
ing votes a year from this fall. Our  
cause is gaining ground.

What is New York going to do and  
what is the situation in New York?  
I have been going to Albany every  
week for a month or two trying to  
keep tab on the situation. For the  
first time in the history of New  
York state we are standing united  
before the legislature. The program  
is the amendment to the constitution  
and the optional remonstrance bill.  
The amendment to the constitution

has to pass two legislatures, so if it  
did pass the legislature this year the  
governor told me not long ago he  
would sign it. Perhaps he is safe. I  
have his word for it anyway. It  
must pass two legislatures so if it is  
passed this year it could not be voted  
on until 1919 and then we would be  
ready for 1920. We do not know  
whether we will get it through. The  
bill in Washington went through  
and it is signed by the president and  
if we do not hold up a standard you  
never get anywhere and I am stand-  
ing by that state-wide bill. Then  
there comes the optional prohibition  
remonstrance bill, proposed by the  
Anti-Saloon League. When fifty-one  
per cent remonstrate against grant-  
ing licenses, no license for the sale  
of liquor may be granted. This is  
similar to a bill in Indiana where  
they get rid of many saloons.

The governor was converted to  
local option. He went to Washing-  
ton to a meeting of governors and  
there were present twenty-three gov-  
ernors from prohibition states and  
the governor has a little presiden-  
tial bee but he suddenly realized if he  
was going to get anywhere in the  
next election he would have to do  
something for the temperance cause  
in New York State. He came back  
with a great conviction that a hard-  
ship was being done the cities of New  
York State, so the governor is work-  
ing to secure the adoption of the local  
option bill which comes up tomorrow  
for a hearing. This is known as the  
Hill-Wheeler Bill. As finally amend-  
ed it will probably apply only to third  
class cities. It requires a petition  
signed by twenty-five per cent of the  
voters. In a rural district it requires  
only ten per cent.

We are holding up the standard of  
State Wide Prohibition. The al-  
lied forces of the temperance forces  
of the state are united. We are going  
to be present tomorrow and we are  
planning a big hearing a week from  
tomorrow. The State W. C. T. U.  
are to hold a meeting and in the  
evening Clinton Howard is to speak  
in the assembly chamber.

Later there is to be another hear-  
ing on other legislation which it  
could be well for this body to en-  
dorse. It is an amendment to Article  
one and prohibits the sale of liquor  
within one mile of an army or navy  
post, any place where soldiers are  
quartered.

(At this point a motion was made  
and unanimously carried endorsing  
the legislation just mentioned.)

What we are going to do we do  
not know. We must bring all pres-  
sure to bear on men who are doubt-  
ful. When your member of assembly  
is in favor you want to encourage  
him and express appreciation of what  
he is doing and ask him if he cannot  
work just a little harder for us.

Begin your campaign now. Don't  
wait until just before election. Hold  
meetings, distribute literature and  
do personal work.

The meeting adjourned, everybody  
not only enthusiastic but determined  
to begin aggressive work immedi-  
ately and carry it through to Election  
Day and for the next year.

## BEAUTIFUL TEETH.

A Hygiene Note For Mothers of Small  
Babies.

Good milk will make good teeth, for  
it makes teeth for calves. Good meat  
will, for it makes them for young lions  
and wolves. Good vegetables, nuts and  
fruits will, for it makes them for mon-  
keys. Good corn, oats, barley, wheat,  
rye, and indeed everything that grows,  
will make good teeth if taken in their  
natural state, no elements being taken  
out, for every one of them makes good  
teeth for horses and cows.

But starches and sugars and hard  
and adulterated foods will not make good  
teeth; therefore a wise mother will  
keep from very young children pastry,  
white bread, cakes and tea and will  
give them instead good milk, whole  
wheat bread, cereals, meat, eggs, ripe  
fruit, vegetables and nuts and will do  
well to see that these helps are given  
them early enough.

Every mother should remember that  
the duty of giving her child useful and  
strong teeth devolves upon her.

## Some Wedding Ways.

Goodly to the plain gold band, at  
least for awhile. The really smart  
bride now wears a band of platinum  
set close with diamonds or merely a  
plain band of chased or filigree plat-  
inum. Hoops of platinum set with one  
kind of gems—rubies, emeralds, sap-  
phires, as the case may be—are surely  
unusual as the symbol of "the tie that  
binds." Green gold, the latest metal  
fad in jewelry, is fashioned in plain  
chased bands for the same dignified  
purpose.

It is something of a change to have  
the bridesmaids garbed with short veils  
instead of hats or bonnets. The cus-  
tom is a pretty one when properly car-  
ried out. The veil may be a square of  
hemstitched chiffon, bound pointwise  
on the head with a diadem of pearl  
beads or a band of metal ribbon.

## Hot Water Bags.

A few precautions taken with a new  
hot water bag and continued through-  
out its life will greatly prolong its days  
of usefulness. To begin with, buy the  
bag from a reliable dealer. Most bags  
are guaranteed and are replaced with  
new ones if there is any defect. These  
guarantees, of course, are not good if  
you treat the bag harshly. But as soon  
as you get a new bag home fill it with  
hot water, screw in the top and look  
it over carefully to see that there is no  
leak and no other visible imperfection.  
If there is none and if the bag is of  
good quality it is your own fault if you  
cannot tear up the guarantee as not  
needed.

## Grape Sponge.

Soften one tablespoonful of







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Take note of the dates: On January 19 the Kaiser proposed an alliance with Mexico and Japan against the United States. On January 31 the German government withdrew its pledges to our government, ordered unrestricted submarine warfare, and at once the machinery of German ships in American harbors was smashed. On February 3 Ambassador Bernstorff was given his passport. On February 5 the German Foreign Secretary described this suspension of diplomatic relations as "astonishing" and complained that President Wilson had given the announcement from Berlin "an interpretation not intended by Germany." On February 28 the Mexican intrigue of January 19 was made public, and in admitting it three days later, the same Foreign Secretary Zimmerman declared that it was "not only the right but the duty" of his government "to take precautions in time," thus dropping the mask worn on February 5 when the German government was "astonished" to find that Washington had made an interpretation "not intended by Germany." Comment is needless further than to remark that the time has gone by when any importance can be attached to persuasive or seemingly friendly utterances coming from official Berlin. Hereafter this country may know what to expect and may indulge in no illusions.

Every philosopher from the time when records were first chiseled upon stone has left behind him some tribute or other to the value of time. Arnold Bennett, in his essay on "How to Live on Twenty-four Hours a Day," correctly inventories time as the most precious of possessions, a thing that is a "great deal more than money." He says "in the realm of time there is no aristocracy of wealth, no aristocracy of intellect. Genius is never rewarded by even an extra hour a day." It is this democracy of opportunity that makes a project such as elimination of the time-wasting Broadway railroad grade crossing a matter of such general interest among citizens of all classes. Each of us out of twenty-four hours a day has to spin the means of support for self and family, money, pleasure and some measure of contentment here and hereafter. When an artificial condition is created which automatically wastes the time of people in their daily business and social affairs the damage thus inflicted upon the community is so far-reaching in its effects as to be exceedingly difficult, if not impossible, to estimate with even an approximate accuracy. Time is more than money in the span of human life and endeavor. A wholesale waste of time makes for inefficiency on a huge scale. The grade crossing should be eliminated and the Mayor's constant reiteration of this demand must in the end effect such abolition at the earliest moment when the taxpayers can bear the expense and the best means of carrying out the work are discovered.

Ulster County now possesses one automobile to every twenty-six residents, as against a ratio of one to thirty-eight a year ago. Little more than a dozen years ago gas-propelled machines were a novelty in this city and vicinity, whereas now they are almost indispensable to convenience and pleasure. If the rate of growth shown the past year is sustained the next few years will see almost every person of voting age driving a car. That expectation, of course, depends largely upon the holding out of the gasoline supply, whose finish is predicted for 1930 or thereabouts. Scientists may be depended upon to evolve great improvements in the gas engine as we know it today, and denatured alcohol, kerosene and cheaper combinations of gas producing fluids are well within the bounds of reasonable an-

tipitation. It is a great prospect. By the time we all get automobiles probably aviation will be a recognized means of getting to the office and traffic rules will apply more to public hangars than to pavements. Nevertheless, we are getting on, more and more upon wheels. The Secretary of State's figures for automobile licenses are incontrovertible evidence of the fact.

"What hath God wrought?" is a sentence so long handed down in school copy books as the first message ever sent over a telegraph wire as to be accepted generally as the correct, unadulterated version. Now comes the iconoclastic information in the Popular Science Monthly that the first message sent in a public demonstration of the possibilities of the Morse instrument read: "Tyler deserves to be hanged." According to this latter day authority, a wire was strung from a committee room to the dome of the capitol in Washington and the message transmitted was one composed by a member of the committee opposed to President Tyler. Thus the hook is given to another supposedly historic adage. It is likely that the first-mentioned message was sent by Morse in his first demonstration between cities, as it has all the marks of having been composed for an occasion. But "Tyler deserves to be hanged," rings true. It is a message typical of a Congressman and the peculiar Missouri-wise attitude some Solons assume toward modern inventions and improvements.

## LITTLE LAUGHS.

Burglar—"Quick, now! Where do you keep your potatoes?"—Life.

"Don't take notice of the cook, dear." "How can I help it when she's just given it?"—Baltimore American.

Hokus—"If you want an umbrella to last a long time, don't roll it." Pokus—"I have a better scheme." Hokus—"What is it?" Pokus—"Don't lend it."—Judge.

Girl's Father—"But how can you support my daughter? Twenty dollars a week won't pay the rent." Suitor—"You don't mean to say you'll charge Edith and me rent, do you?"—Boston Transcript.

"The trouble with you," remarked the blunt friend, "is that you haven't improved your opportunities." "That's the trouble with most people," replied Mr. Grump. "The whole dictionary full of words has been at everybody's disposal, but nobody else put 'em together the way Shakespeare did."—Washington Star.

"Do you believe there is any such word as fail?" asked the man in the smoking car to the person sitting next to him. "Sure there is," was the reply. "But some people say there is not." "Well, I say there is, and I ought to know." "Why should you know more than the others?" "Because I'm a referee in bankruptcy."—Yonkers Statesman.

## All the Earmarks.

"Why are you sobbing, my little man?" inquired the kindly man of the little boy who was weeping bitterly.

"My—my pa's a—a millionaire philanthropist," sobbed the child.

"Well, I can't see that that is anything to cry about."

"Yuh can't, can't yuh? He's promised to give me \$5 to spend Christmas, provided I raise a similar amount."—Williamsport Grit.

## Freak.

One day Mr. Jellaby had his twin babies down town, tucked in their double-ended carriage, facing each other, with only their little round faces showing out of the blankets. A boy caught sight of the babies, and he cried in astonishment: "O mother, look quick! There is a baby with a head on both ends!"—Youth's Companion.

## Propitious Occasion.

Edward, aged four, prided himself on his bravery. Suddenly meeting a strange dog in a vacant lot near his home, he unceremoniously fled to the house. Upon being questioned as to whether he was afraid, he said:

"No; I just thought it was a good time to see how fast I could run."—Harper's Magazine.

## TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

March 7, 1897—Andrew N. Barnes appointed alderman of Second ward in place of Samuel F. Chappell resigned.

The Rev. B. Grad took charge as rabbi of Temple Emanuel.

Residence of Charles H. Story at Ulster Park robbed of silverware.

March 7, 1907—Formal opening of new Kingston exchange of Hudson River Telephone Company on central Broadway.

Death of Patrick Curran on West Chestnut street, aged 62 years.

Mrs. Bridget Devine died at her home in Ponckhockie.

## COTTEKILL.

Cottekill, March 7.—The young people of this village who so successfully rendered "Cupid's Capers" in the J. O. U. A. M. Hall here a few weeks ago, went to Stone Ridge Tuesday evening and gave it in the basement of the Reformed Church there to a large audience. There were a number who went from here to again hear it.

The heaviest snow storm of the year visited this village on Monday accompanied by a high wind, leaving about eight inches of snow on the level and numerous drifts.

Garton Keator has been busy the past week making a large extension on L. R. Conner's garage, as Mr. Conner has purchased a large car for spring delivery and is offering his Metz for sale cheap. Lew has invested in a Ford touring car.

Oscar Rider, who has been confined to the bed for the past few months, is slowly improving and we expect him to again be able to resume his



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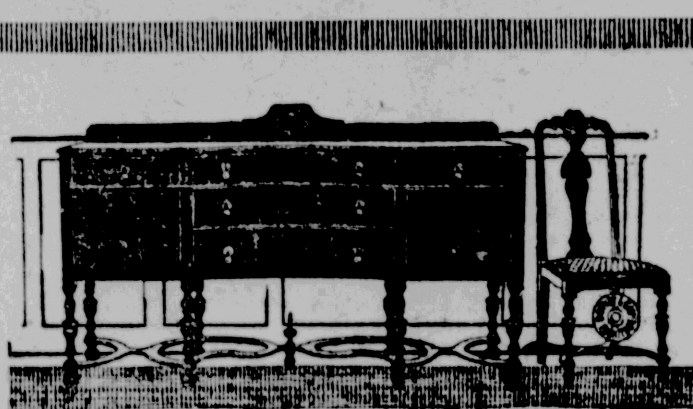
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Dated, Kingston, N. Y., March 5, 1917.  
WARD E. EVERT, City Treasurer.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Edward Burhans, late of the town of Ulster, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Sarah Burhans and Catherine Burhans, the administrators of the estate of Edward Burhans, deceased, at Lake Katrine, Ulster county, N. Y., in the said town of Ulster, on or before the 30th day of May, 1917.

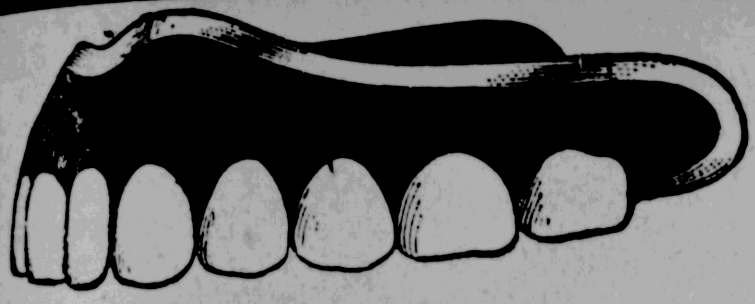
Dated, November 7, 1916.  
SARAH BURHANS and CATHERINE BURHANS, Administrators, etc., of the estate of Edward Burhans, deceased, Lake Katrine, New York.

A. T. Clearwater, Attorney for Administrators, Ulster County Savings Bank Building, Kingston, New York.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against George W. Martin, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Maggie J. Schler and Elizabeth B. Smith, the co-administrators of the estate of said deceased, at the residence of Maggie J. (Mrs. John D. W.) Schler, 144 Franklin St., in the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 30th day of May, 1917.

Dated, October 31, 1916.  
MAGGIE J. SCHLER, ELIZABETH B. SMITH, Co-Administrators.  
DeWitt Rees, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.





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## A BIRD BOARDING-HOUSE.

One Touch of Food Makes All Feathers Kin Says Mr. Anderson.

During the recent snows and the accompanying severe winter weather the garden in the rear of the residence of George W. Anderson, No. 29 Green street, has presented an interesting and unusual spectacle. Mr. Anderson, who is an ardent lover of birds, has thrown out food for the feathered tribes, and most any hour of the day the birds—often to the number of hundreds—may be seen enjoying the feast which Mr. Anderson's thoughtfulness has provided for them. This bird ensemble is a most picturesque and unusual one, extremely heterogeneous in character. The birds include the bold, inevitable little sparrow, the English starling, snow birds and several other varieties. To cap the climax, during the past week many crows have joined the fowls, and among the guests at the birdland table d'hotes none seem to enjoy the "spreads" more than Mr. and Mrs. Crow. The presence of crows within such a short distance of human habitations is extraordinary, for the crow is regarded by naturalists as perhaps the most wary of all our native birds, and it is seldom that he tarries longer than a few minutes near the homes of city dwellers. These crows, however, have become so tame that they perch in the trees immediately back of Mr. Anderson's house, after completing a meal, and since they have grown to know him well it has become necessary for Mr. Anderson to "shoo" them away when putting food on the ground in order that the smaller birds may have a chance to get their fill. Neighbors claim that Mr. Anderson has a secret for bird feed, which has so tickled the palates of the crows that they have forsaken their customary caution. Mr. Anderson denies this, and says these bird gatherings simply illustrate a natural truth—that necessity knows no law. "The necessity of food makes them all equal," he remarks, "no matter what distinctions of caste may prevail among birds in ordinary times. They say 'birds of a feather flock together.' My experiments give this old adage the reverse English. Birds not of a feather flock together, once a menace like starvation becomes common to all. It's the same way with humans. Let a city or a nation become threatened by some dire calamity and every class will rub elbows in the struggle for self preservation. The bitterest of enemies will become as friends. There's one old saying which is eternally right: 'One touch of nature makes the whole world kin.'"

## WEST PARK.

West Park, March 6.—The Women's Auxiliary of Ascension parish will meet with Mrs. Harry Terwilliger on Thursday afternoon at 2:20 o'clock.

The nurse, Miss Harriet Gridley, who has had the care of Mrs. R. C. Searing for the past five weeks, returned to her home in Scottsville on Tuesday.

Gilbert Ackert is ill at his daughter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elliot are both afflicted with grip, or kindred trouble.

Elisha Smith has been confined to his home for several weeks, and the mother of George Hasbrouck is ill at her son's home.

Work is progressing as rapidly as possible with the cellar of Luke Connor's new bungalow, but weather conditions interfere very greatly. Yet the wall will be above ground this week.

The Peripatetic Philosopher in his walks about town has observed the emerging of our local cars, noticeably that of Vincent Travis and Carl Peterson is using a 12 cylinder Packard instead of his former favorite.

Miss Ruth Towill is visiting her brothers, Vernon and Douglass, in New York.

Lenten service will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Atkins on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The services in Ascension Church will be held on Friday morning at 10 o'clock and in the evening at 7:15 o'clock. Choir rehearsal at 8 o'clock.

## SAINT JOSEN.

Saint Josen, March 7.—Carleton B. Riley and Archie Lawrence have gone in the boiling sap on shares on the lot belonging to Mrs. Deput.

Henry Lawrence is sawing wood in Accord.

Mrs. Mary C. Deput entertained at her home on Saturday afternoon and evening Mrs. George Lawrence, Peter Coddington and family, Lewis Miller and family, Warren Lawrence and son, W. H. Roose, and family.

A number from this place attended the play at Accord the past week.

S. K. Wyneook is going around with Mr. Loddeman sawing wood.

Frank Coddington fell recently on the way from the woods and hurt himself quite bad.

Alice Coddington called on friends in Accord on Saturday.

Lewis Miller is now getting about 200 eggs daily.

Mrs. Lester Coddington called on friends in this place the past week.

A number from this place attended



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Who, indeed?  
An Indian tribe in Bolivia ships all white persons, and who are we in these days to call it benighted?—Milwaukee Journal.

Season for Reloading.  
Righteousness tried by adversity has good grounds for glorying in its sorrow—Ovid.

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# CITIZENS' LEAGUE OF ULSTER COUNTY

Annual Meeting and Election Held at  
Sahler's Sanitarium on Tuesday  
Was Well Attended—Some of the  
Addresses Made.

A meeting of the Citizens' League  
of Ulster County was held on Tues-  
day, March 6th, at the Dr. Sahler  
sanitarium. The large hall was  
thoroughly trimmed with American  
flags and was well filled.

The meeting was called to order  
by the president, Dr. C. O. Sahler.  
The audience all joined in singing  
America, accompanied on the piano  
by Miss Gallagher, and the cornet by  
Mr. Taylor. Then followed prayer  
by Rev. Edward Dingman of West  
Camp.

After the singing of the "Star  
Spangled Banner," the president, Dr.  
C. O. Sahler, read his report for the  
year, which was most heartily and  
enthusiastically received.

It was expected that addresses  
would be made by Mrs. Florence Up-  
degraff and Olin S. Bishop, but both  
were unavoidably absent.

The president appointed on the  
committee on nominations the fol-  
lowing:

Rev. John Anthony, J. B. Palmer  
and Thomas Snyder.  
Committee on resolutions—Rev.  
Dr. P. N. Chase, Dr. C. B. Cragin  
and H. Westlake Coons.

The treasurer, Rev. P. N. Chase,  
then read his annual report, show-  
ing that a sum of \$10,000 in the  
treasury of about \$10, and con-  
tributions were subscribed amount-  
ing to \$226.

The following resolution, offered  
by Dr. Chase, was adopted:

"Whereas, this congressional dis-  
trict, with the exception of Columbia  
county on the last local option vote  
taken gave over 1,350 majority  
against the saloon and even with  
Columbia county added gave a trifling  
over 100 majority for the saloon  
and

"Whereas, thirty-nine towns voted  
wet while thirty-three voted dry in  
part or wholly so, and

"Whereas, the dry votes represent  
the financial, moral and religious  
sentiment of the district;

"Therefore, we, representative  
citizens of Ulster county, protest  
against the action of our congress-  
man, Hon. Charles Ward, in voting  
against all temperance measures in  
congress, knowing that he is there-  
by misrepresenting the sentiment of  
a majority of all of the best people  
of the 27th congressional district.

"Resolved, that this action, signed  
by the president and secretary of  
this league, shall be forwarded to Mr.  
Ward."

A motion was made and carried  
that a committee, composed of Dr. C.  
O. Sahler, Edward Smiley, Dr. P. N.  
Chase, Rev. Henry D. Frost, H. West-  
lake Coons, be appointed a part to  
attend the hearing of the Hill-  
Wheeler Bill at Albany, March 7.

The committee on resolutions  
made its report as follows:

Executive Committee.  
Rev. Henry D. Frost.  
Dr. Chauncy B. Cragin.  
Rev. P. N. Chase.  
Dr. C. O. Sahler.  
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Rev. Devoe, Charles Anderson, the  
Rev. Henry D. Frost, Accord.  
Lester Siskler, Ardman.  
Abner Wanne, the Rev. P. J. Fife.  
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Green L. Davis, Atwood.  
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Bearville.  
Preston Bundage, Riley A. Van  
Aken, Claryville.  
W. O. Schwarzwald, Chichester.  
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Rev. J. D. Piper, Clintondale.  
Rev. B. Walker, Lewis Connor, Cot-  
tkill.  
The Rev. A. Zabriskie, Blooming-  
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John Lathrop, John Rapp, Dwight  
Deriso, James Brown, H. Westlake  
Coons, R. A. Graham, the Rev. Wat-  
ter S. Mains, George F. Andrews, A.  
X. Rapp, Ellenville.  
John L. Schultis, Esopus.  
J. M. Cole, Glasco.  
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Isaac Conklin, Gardiner R. F. D.  
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Rev. E. Wilcox, James  
W. Scott, Dr. John T. Becker, John  
Schubel, Floyd Bennett, Highland.  
Charles E. Cornell, M. S. Davis.  
Richard R. F. D.  
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Hutchinson, W. H. Hornbeck, Samuel  
Schoonmaker, High Falls.  
Charles A. Snyder, Charles Du-  
Kov, the Rev. Jesse T. Drate, Hur-  
kles.  
The Rev. G. C. Dangremont, High  
Falls.

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F. L. Seeler, the Rev. G. M. Crans-  
wick, the Rev. A. K. Fuller, D. B. Hen-  
derson, Edward Snyder, Lorenzo  
S. E. Devoe, Irving Rosa,  
Charles Hogan, Lina T. Ryder, Will-  
iam M. Davis, A. H. Haynes, Edgar  
E. Simmons, Ira Woolsey, William  
Buck, H. W. Carl, the Rev. P. N.  
Chase, Prof. M. J. Michael, Charles  
L. Conklin, Kingston.  
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Rev. L. Sahler, Dr. William P. Fal-  
ter, the Rev. Doyle, Charles Ter-  
vort, the Rev. William Pyrae, Ker-  
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Edna Merriwell, Benj. Merriwell,  
Kerkira.  
John Rosa, DeForest Bishop, Ky-  
nema.  
Alexander Johnston, Marlborough.  
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C. N. Clark, James Baker, Edward  
Johnson, the Rev. R. A. Knapp, Mar-  
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Frank Van Sickle, John Van Derlyn,  
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Rev. J. R. Vaughan, J. A. Lord, Abram  
J. Longyear, Phoenicia.  
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John Schaff, Quarryville.  
The Rev. Henry Smith, Rifton.  
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Odel Smith, Rosendale.  
John Thornton, Spring Glen.  
C. E. Cornell Longyear, South Ron-  
dout.  
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tine, the Rev. H. L. Hoar, the Rev.  
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Charles Tompkins, Saugerties.  
Frank Bishop, Benj. Hoyer, Stone  
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F. Fellows, Saugerties.  
The Rev. Nicholas S. Hess, Sauger-  
ties R. F. D.  
Jeremiah Post, St. Remy.  
The Rev. S. W. Stevens, Leonard  
P. Clark or Kenneth K. Clark, the  
Rev. Joseph Millett, the Rev. A. S.  
Contant, Peter Devo, George Davis,  
W. E. Clark, D. Tillson, Chaucery  
Slater, Tilton.  
Lester Herring, the Rev. C. Van  
Oostenbrugge, John Herring, Ulster  
Park.  
W. H. Slater, West Hurley.  
Oscar Mosher, Norman Smith, the  
Rev. Greenville Kerr, Woodstock.  
Karin Dingman, West Camp.  
Wayne V. Devo, Wallkill.  
Nathan Eckhart, West Park.  
Silas Kroun, Olive Bridge.  
C. L. Shufelt, Zena.  
Edw. W. Zinn, West Shokan.  
William Becker, Charles B. Tif-  
fany, Malden.  
Edgar Ellsworth, Eddyville.  
The report of the committee was  
duly adopted.

"Dr. Chase offered a resolution re-  
ferring to Senate Bill 733 as fol-  
lows:

"Resolved, that we request our  
state senator and assemblyman not  
only to vote against the bill, but to  
do all lawful things to defeat it as  
well as any other bill intended to de-  
stroy the religious observance of the  
Sabbath."

"Resolved, that we request our  
senators and assemblymen to use  
their best efforts to defeat Senate  
Bill 733 as it is most objectionable."

"Resolved, that we also request  
them to give their votes and in-  
fluence in favor of the Optional Pro-  
hibition Bill, the Hill-Wheeler Local  
Option Bill and the State Wide Pro-  
hibition Bill."

This resolution was duly adopted.  
A beautiful repast was found  
awaiting the members of the league  
when they entered the large dining  
room of the sanitarium, which has  
recently been decorated and was  
beautifully decorated with flags in  
honor of the occasion, making the  
banquet a most attractive one.

The Rev. Henry D. Frost was  
called upon and spoke as follows:

"It seems to be a happy omen  
that the sun came out for our meet-  
ing. It gives promise of a year of  
prosperity and success in our work  
and now the great thing is to start  
the great spring drive. This is to  
start today and drive right on  
through and next November we are  
going to make a home for us and  
there. There is no reason why we  
should not if it only we do our work  
if we are wide awake and ready for  
our opportunity, no reason why we  
cannot make these twenty towns  
every one dry, why we cannot bring  
the battle on to the very gates of  
Kingston and then it may be that our  
friends here will have the oppor-  
tunity to finish the job almost before  
we have done our job outside. For  
this spring drive we must have am-  
munition stored up. The allies in  
New York state have accumulated  
ammunition from all contingents  
all over the country and the arsenals  
are now fully crammed so in our  
spring drive we can use the biggest  
guns we have. There is William J.  
Byrnes and the big guns down in  
congress, all come out on the pro-  
hibition side and the enemies' gun-  
ners are either left coked on the field or  
have been captured. Read some of  
the editorials in Washington and  
Oregon. One editor said, 'I fought  
prohibition as hard as I could, but I  
found out I was wrong and prohibi-  
tion is all right.' In New York state  
the allies have come together in a  
grand war council. They have sun-  
dries and leaders and have joined  
forces and have worked out a unified  
plan of action. Now we are together  
in New York state all those who are  
against the liquor business. Pro-  
hibitionists, W. C. T. U., Anti-  
Saloon League, Citizens' League,  
every organization is headed for one  
goal. The thing is all ready for  
movement, ready for the word for-  
ward and that word of command  
ought to come from the people of  
Ulster county and sound in our ears  
so we will go right on through. The  
advance has begun far down the  
line."

"If we stand together upon this  
issue the winning of the battle is  
just a matter of a few years and if  
we put into it the very best we have.  
Let every dry town not only hold its  
own, but give assistance to one wet  
town. We are going on to glorious  
victory."

Attorney H. Westlake Coons of  
Ellenville then spoke as follows:

"It is a source of real regret to me  
that I have to make a report from a  
wet town and not a town which is  
staunchly dry as is the town of  
Rochester represented by our neigh-  
bor, Mr. Frost. Nevertheless we can  
claim Rochester as our next door  
neighbor and can claim that their  
spirit and lesson which has been  
taught by Rochester in adhering  
year after year to its policy of dry-  
ness has become a lesson to the  
citizens of our town."

After all, the most powerful argu-

ment a wet town can use is to point  
to a dry town and say that year after  
year that town, instead of falling  
down, is voting dry by increased and  
ever increasing majority.

Suppose we were to go into a war,  
would you look about for men to  
come and help you who were  
frequenters of saloons? No, when we  
face war we think of these things, we  
want the best American blood and  
the best brain and brawn that can be  
put behind the guns we will have to  
turnish perhaps, and the possibility  
is so remote. The mere shadow  
of patriotism demands that forthwith  
liquor be abolished in order that our  
families be fed, and if we have to  
send our boys to the field that we  
send them clear-eyed, strong-armed  
and steady-footed to meet the foe."

Rev. Walter S. Mains of Ellenville  
was then called upon and gave a  
stirring address, which can be given  
only in part:

I speak to you from a general  
standpoint on the general discussion  
of the question, being unable to  
speak of local questions on account  
of being new to this community.

Mention has been made by some  
speakers of a change of emphasis  
from the moral to the economic on  
this question and in this hour there  
are patriotic arguments against the  
liquor traffic, but being a minister of  
the Gospel I am justified in looking  
at the moral side.

One of the arguments voiced by  
the opponents of prohibition is that  
they are having their personal  
liberty interfered with and also that  
prohibition legislation would be un-  
American and contrary to American  
principles. You must realize there  
are conditions under which a man's  
personal liberty must be restrained.

If this principle did not exist there  
would be no civil law in this country.  
Perhaps you may have a high power  
car, the car is yours and you are  
perhaps in possession of a driver's  
license which you have paid for. But  
if you take that car down Wall street  
a sixty miles an hour, the civil  
authorities will have something to  
say about it, they will prohibit you  
from racing that car because you are  
interfering with the public safety, so  
the personal liberty of the liquor  
traffic is out interfered with when  
that liberty itself assails the public  
health or peace. We enact laws to  
restrain a man's personal liberty  
governing laws on homicide and  
burglary.

We realize what the influence of  
liquor has been when we figure up  
and find the large percentage of  
pauperism and insanity and sickness  
that can be laid at the door of the  
liquor traffic. Twenty-five per cent  
is the lowest that can be attributed  
to any one of these.

But about the most futile argu-  
ment used by opponents of prohibition is  
that if prohibition should be enacted  
society would lose its charm. Just  
think, we should lose the charm of  
blear-eyed mendicancy; we should  
lose the charm of abject poverty, the  
charm of crime. Life would lose its  
charm!

Mrs. Ella A. Doole spoke in part as  
follows:

It is a great pleasure to be here  
this afternoon and share in the feast  
that has been spread before us and to  
hear what you are saying about your  
campaign to make Ulster county dry.  
It has been my pleasure this past  
year to share in campaigns in a num-  
ber of states. I was in Nebraska in  
their campaign and in Idaho and  
their campaign. It was my privilege  
to be in Alaska all summer as one of  
two speakers who toured that great  
territory. The result of the cam-  
paign was overwhelming majority for  
prohibition in Alaska so I have to re-  
alize that New York is behind in some  
phases of this great reform move-  
ment. The situation differs in differ-  
ent states. In Alaska it was a great  
economic question.

It is a big country in every way.  
The liquor people thought they had  
won the fight because the San Fran-  
cisco Liquor Dealers' Association  
bought the newspapers in Alaska and  
they were publishing the copy fur-  
nished by the San Francisco Liquor  
Dealers' Association. The people up  
there were afraid to take a stand on  
the temperance question. The  
liquor people sent out word one  
night when there was going to be a  
meeting when I was up there that no  
one was to go. They have five times  
as many men in the meetings as we  
men because there are so many more  
men there. The last sixty days of  
the campaign we bought the news-  
papers and put in facts and answered  
their arguments and when the elec-  
tion came every incorporated town  
in Alaska had gone dry. What  
made Alaska have such a big vote?  
The business men had something to  
do with it but I believe the most im-  
portant factor was that a great many  
men in Alaska came from western  
states that are for prohibition and  
Seattle is the gateway to Alaska and  
the State of Washington had had  
prohibition six months and early in  
July a Seattle paper published the  
facts about prohibition in Washing-  
ton and in Seattle especially. There  
were 330 saloons in Seattle and when  
prohibition closed them people said  
there will be empty stores. I was  
there the first of July and 300 of  
those stores were occupied by other  
business. The other 30 were being  
repaired and had tenants ready to  
take them when they were ready. I  
visited Portland and Denver and in  
both places it was said the tourists  
would not come if prohibition was  
to come in, but in both places I ex-  
amined the reports of the board of  
trade and in both cases the following  
summer after prohibition did come in  
the report said was the best year for  
tourists they had ever had and the  
tourists spent their money freely.

I could stand here half a day and  
tell you stories about the results of  
prohibition in these states and other  
states are learning about it. We  
have to keep changing our map.  
Two months ago we had twenty-three  
states and now we have twenty-five  
with Alaska, before the year is out  
it will probably be more and possibly  
Porto Rico and Iowa votes this fall.  
You can't keep track of it. Your  
votes are a year from this fall. Our  
cause is gaining ground.

What is New York going to do and  
what is the situation in New York?  
I have been going to Albany every  
week for a month or two trying to  
keep tab on the situation. For the  
first time in the history of New  
York state we are standing united  
before the legislature. The program  
is the amendment to the constitution  
and the optional remonstrance bill.  
The amendment to the constitution

has to pass two legislatures, so if it  
did pass the legislature this year the  
governor told me, not long ago he  
would sign it. Perhaps he is safe. I  
have his word for it anyway. It  
must pass two legislatures so if it is  
passed this year it could not be voted  
on until 1919 and then we would be  
ready for 1920. We do not know  
whether we will get it through. The  
bill in Washington went through  
and it is signed by the president and  
if we do not hold up a standard you  
never get anywhere and I am stand-  
ing by that state-wide bill. Then  
there comes the optional prohibition  
remonstrance bill, proposed by the  
Anti-Saloon League. When fifty-one  
per cent remonstrate against grant-  
ing licenses, no license for the sale  
of liquor may be granted. This is  
similar to a bill in Indiana where  
they get rid of many saloons.

The governor was converted to  
local option. He went to Washing-  
ton to a meeting of governors and  
there were present twenty-three gov-  
ernors from prohibition states and  
the governor has a little presiden-  
tial bee but he suddenly realized if he  
was going to get anywhere in the  
next election he would have to do  
something for the temperance cause  
in New York State. He came back  
with a great conviction that a hard-  
ship was being done the cities of New  
York State, so the governor is work-  
ing to secure the adoption of the local  
option bill which comes up tomorrow  
for a hearing. This is known as the  
Hill-Wheeler Bill. As finally amend-  
ed it will probably apply only to third  
class cities. It requires a petition  
signed by twenty-five per cent of the  
voters. In a rural district it requires  
only ten per cent.

We are holding up the standard of  
State Wide Prohibition. The al-  
lied forces of the temperance forces  
of the state are united. We are going  
to be present tomorrow and we are  
planning a big hearing a week from  
tomorrow. The State W. C. T. U.  
are to hold a meeting and in the  
evening Clinton Howard is to speak  
in the assembly chamber.

Later there is to be another hear-  
ing on other legislation which it  
would be well for this body to en-  
dorse. It is an amendment to Article  
one and prohibits the sale of liquor  
within one mile of an army or navy  
post, any place where soldiers are  
quartered.

(At this point a motion was made  
and unanimously carried endorsing  
the legislation just mentioned.)

What we are going to do we do  
not know. We must bring all pres-  
sure to bear on men who are doubt-  
ful. When your member of assembly  
is in favor you want to encourage  
him and express appreciation of what  
he is doing and ask him if he cannot  
work just a little harder for us.

Begin your campaign now. Don't  
wait until just before election. Hold  
meetings, distribute literature and  
do personal work.

The meeting adjourned, everybody  
not only enthusiastic but determined  
to begin aggressive work immedi-  
ately and carry it through to Election  
Day and for the next year.

BEAUTIFUL TEETH.  
A Hygiene Note For Mothers of Small  
Babies.  
Good milk will make good teeth. For  
it makes teeth for calves. Good meat  
will, for it makes teeth for young lions  
and wolves. Good vegetables, nuts and  
fruits will, for it makes teeth for mon-  
keys. Good corn, oats, barley, wheat,  
rye, and indeed everything that grows,  
will make good teeth if taken in their  
natural state, no elements being taken  
out, for every one of them makes good  
teeth for horses and cows.

But starches and sugars and hard and  
adulterated foods will not make good  
teeth; therefore a wise mother will  
keep from very young children pastry,  
white bread, cakes and tea and will  
give them instead good milk, whole  
wheat bread, cereals, meat, eggs, ripe  
fruit, vegetables and nuts and will do  
well to see that these helps are given  
them early enough.

Every mother should remember that  
the duty of giving her child useful and  
strong teeth devolves upon her.

Some Wedding Ways.  
Goodly to the plain gold band, at  
least for awhile. The really smart  
bride now wears a band of platinum  
set close with diamonds or merely a  
plain band of chased or filigree plat-  
inum. Hoops of platinum set with one  
kind of gems—rubies, emeralds, sap-  
phires, as the case may be—are surely  
unusual as the symbol of "the tie that  
binds." Green gold, the latest metal  
fad in jewelry, is fashioned in plain  
chased bands for the same dignified  
purpose.

It is something of a change to have  
the bridesmaids garbed with short veils  
instead of hats or bonnets. The cus-  
tom is a pretty one when properly car-  
ried out. The veil may be a square of  
hemstitched chiffon, bound pointwise  
on the head with a ribbon of pearl  
beads or a band of metal ribbon.

Hot Water Bags.  
A few precautions taken with a new  
hot water bag and continued through-  
out its life will greatly prolong its days  
of usefulness. To begin with, buy the  
bag from a reliable dealer. Most bags  
are guaranteed and are replaced with  
new ones if there is any defect. These  
guarantees, of course, are not good if  
you treat the bag harshly. But as soon  
as you get a new bag home fill it with  
hot water, screw in the top and look  
it over carefully to see that there is no  
leak and no other visible imperfection.  
If there is none and if the bag is of  
good quality it is your own fault if you  
cannot tear up the guarantee as not  
needed.

Grape Sponge.  
Soften one tablespoonful of granu-  
lated gelatin in one-fourth cupful of cold  
water, then dissolve over boiling wa-  
ter. Bring one cupful of grape juice  
to the boiling point, add three-fourths  
cupful of sugar, the dissolved gelatin,  
the juice of one lemon and strain. Stir  
occasionally until beginning to thicken,  
then add gradually the stiff beaten  
whites of three eggs and beat until  
stiff enough to hold its shape. Turn  
into a wet mold, place on ice until firm  
and serve with whipped cream or soft  
boiled custard.

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\$11.75	\$18.00	\$14.75
Belter and conserva- tive models, including fast color serges and worsted.	All wool worsteds, serges and cassimeres. New loose belt effects, also neat form fit or sack models.	Plain or pinch back models. Blue, grey and brown serges. Shep- herd checks or plaids. Scotch mixtures in brown, blue or grey.
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Knox and Guyer's \$3.00 Hats. In all colors and many shapes. A large variety to pick from.

## Juvenile Suits

\$3.95

\$2.95 From 4 years to 8 years. In blue, grey, brown and mixtures. White pique collars and cuffs detachable. \$4.85

## Children's Spring Overcoats

\$2.95, \$3.85, \$4.85

Shepherd checks, Scotch mixtures. Blues and greys. Belter and box models. Single and double breasted.

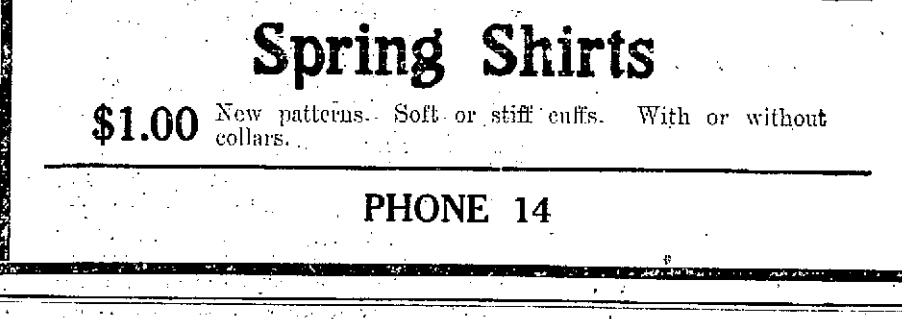
## Boys' Spring Knicker Suits

\$2.95	\$4.85	\$6.85	\$7.85
Norfolk models in greys, browns, blues and mix- tures.	Blue serges, shepherd checks and Scotch mix- tures. Three piece belt patch pockets.	Norfolk knicker suits. All wool worsted, well made and fit right.	Belter suits. Hand tailored. In fine wool material, colors guaranteed.

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(Mrs. Charles A. Towne.)  
Charles A. Towne, former United States Senator from Minnesota,  
his bride, formerly Mrs. Alice M. Etkin, of Washington, are on their  
honeymoon today, having been married at Mr. Towne's Riverside Drive  
home, New York city, where they will reside. The former Mrs. Etkin  
is a daughter of the late Henry Reinhardt, of Los Angeles.

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Whiskies? Why not get the  
best, the purest and most  
wholesome? If for the ill or  
feeble, the alleged "cheap"  
kinds are liable to leave a  
sting behind them that will  
mean doctors' bills later.  
Come here if you want stimu-  
lants which are guaranteed  
pure. Tell us what you re-  
quire and for what purpose  
and we will exercise our expert  
judgment in supplying your  
needs. If for the sideboard,  
try some of our smooth, pal-  
atably blended Whiskies. All  
the well known standard  
brands are here at prices lower  
than you can get them else-  
where.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance  
of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surro-  
gate of Ulster county, notice is hereby giv-  
en, according to law, to all persons having  
claims against De Witt Van Bumble, late  
of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster,  
Greenland, Texas, to present the same with  
the vouchers in support thereof, to the un-  
dersigned, Thomas D. R. Embree, the ex-  
ecutor of the estate of said deceased, at  
his residence, 109 Pine street, Kingston, in  
the said county of Ulster, New York, on  
or before the first day of June, 1917.  
Dated, November 22, 1916.  
THOMAS D. R. EMBREE,  
By EMBREE, et al., of New York,  
Van Bumble, deceased.

V. B. Van Wageningen, Attorney, Kingston.



## THURSDAY--FRIDAY--FISH

Pickarel	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb.	Halibut, Whitefish, Salmon, Eels, Trout, Cod, Pollock, Mackerel, Sea Trout.
Ciscoes		
Haddock		
Tile Steaks		
Costa Blue		
Butters		

Lower Price Fresh Eggs  
**Fresh Gathered Eggs, doz. 39c**

Fresh Cottage Cheese, lb. .... 10c

Buckwheat Flour, 25c 5 lb. bag For griddle cakes	<b>THE MOHICAN COMPANY</b>	Evaporated MILK, tin 11c Keeps up in the house
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RIB ROAST Beef, lb. 18c Cut from Best Beef	Cut from Best Steer Beef <b>STEAKS</b> Porterhouse Sirloin Round lb. <b>20c</b> Worth 30c lb. See These Steaks.	FRESH CHOPS Pork, lb. 22c No Rind BEST CHOPS Lamb, lb. 22c Rib or Loin Worth 18c tin JERSEY PEARS tin <b>15c</b>
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Best White Potatoes, 1-2 peck 39c

Best Creamery Butter, 2 lbs. - 86c

Fresh Made Renovated Butter, lb. - 37c

**BUTTERINE**, PREMIUM, 4 lbs. .... 90c  
 1-8 bbl. .... 49c  
 LINCOLN, 3 lbs. .... 59c  
 Use Lincoln for cooking, etc.

Fancy Florida Oranges, dz. 35-30-25-20c

**RICE** 6 lbs. .... 25c  
 4 lbs. .... 25c  
 3 lbs. .... 25c  
 Flour going higher.  
 1-8 bbl. .... \$1.25

Canned Vegetables

Shipment of Granulated Sugar Received

Ceylon and English Breakfast Tea, lb. 35c

Dinner Blend Coffee, lb. - 19c

## Vegetables

Celery  
 Oyster Plant  
 Green Onions  
 Radishes  
 Lettuce  
 Tomatoes  
 New Cabbage  
 Egg Plant  
 Bermuda Onions  
 Mushrooms  
 Beets  
 Carrots  
 Turnips

WILSON DECIDES  
TO ARM SHIPS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, March 7.—American merchant ships are to be armed by the United States government and sent on their voyages to the ports of the seven seas regardless of submarines, "barred zones," and other obstacles which the war has placed in the path of American commerce.

President Wilson definitely decided on this step today. Fortified with the opinion of the attorney general that he has the authority to make such a move, with the approval of administration supporters in Congress and the legal advisors of the government, the president is convinced that he is acting within his rights even though the Congressional approval which he sought before the death of the sixtieth Congress was withheld.

The president called to the White House this morning six Democratic senators who have been active in behalf of administration measures—Owen of Oklahoma, Walsh of Montana, Swanson of Virginia, Smith of Georgia, Reed of Missouri and James of Kentucky—and informed them of his decision. He also took up with them and approved the proposition of changing the Senate rules toward a modified form of cloture which will hereafter prevent any "little group of wilful men" from holding up legislation vitally affecting the nation.

With the president's decision to arm merchant vessels, the break with Austria, which looked to be temporarily averted by the conciliatory tone of the latest Austrian note, again becomes imminent. The Austrian government daily stated that it considered the arming of American merchant vessels in direct contradiction to international law, and declared in effect that its submarines would feel at liberty to sink them. Should it do this, a diplomatic break could not be averted.

Following the White House conference with the senators, Secretary of State Lansing was summoned to the executive mansion and remained closeted with the president for almost an hour. The two canvassed the situation thoroughly. Every eventuality which the move may bring was gone over.

**SAUGERTIES.**  
 Saugerties, March 7.—Miss Sadie MacLane is ill at her home on Jane street.

The regular annual ball given by members of Ulster and Confidence Lodges of Odd Fellows was held on Tuesday evening in Columbus Hall. As usual a large number participated. Martin's orchestra of eight pieces furnished the music for dancing.

The Monday Club met with Mrs. H. T. Snyder Monday afternoon. Mrs. John Snyder read an article on "How Uruguay Became Independent." Mrs. Krom gave an address on Paraguay and its people. Mrs. Turrentine read an article written by Bishop Stuntz on the religious life of South America. Miss Frances Keeney rendered a selection on the harp. The club will meet with Mrs. V. P. Overbush on Main street March 12.

Mrs. Margaret Gough, an aged resident of Malden, town of Saugerties, died at her home Tuesday morning in the 90th year of her age. A daughter, Mrs. Emma Locke, of New York city, and a son, John Gough, of Malden survive her. The funeral will be held from her late home on Thursday afternoon. Interment in Mountain View cemetery.

Smith Wland of Wappingers Falls is spending a few days in town.

William Kearney of Ohio is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Louis Payette, on Ulster avenue.

The Rev. Father McCann of New York city will preach the Lenten sermon in St. Mary's Church this evening.

**No Guards at This "Pen."**

One of the novel features about the new Westchester county penitentiary in East View, which opens next week under direction of Everit Macy, is that it will have no guards. It will have instructors, who will keep track of the inmates. But there will be no guards, strictly speaking, such as the keepers of Sing Sing, Blackwell's Island and other penal institutions, whose only duty is to keep prisoners confined and in order. Calvin Derrick, formerly warden of Sing Sing, is to assist Mr. Macy.

**Improvements at Woodcrest Farm.**

The Woodcrest Farm have just installed in their pump house a New-Way air cooled gasoline engine, which was purchased from the Canfield Supply Company.

**In Appreciation.**

"The S. R. Deyo Company wish to express their thanks and appreciation to the firemen for their excellent work at the fire Sunday night."—Advertisement.

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**ULSTER COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**  
 Kingston, N. Y., March 7th, 1917.  
 Notice is hereby given that a panel of trial jurors will be drawn at this office on Saturday, March 10th, at 10 a. m., to serve at a term of court county, to be held in and for the county of Ulster on the 2nd day of April, 1917.  
 C. K. LOUGHRAN, Clerk.

How a Debt Was  
Collected

By WILLIAM CHANDLER

Among the strange people in the world the strangest to me are those who consider it their duty to give largely, but who in transactions of a business nature are inordinately mean.

Such characters are common among rich men, whose motive usually is to make something, even out of their donations—men who don't hide their light under a bushel. But Miss Euphemia Baxter was not at all such a person. Few knew of her charities. She supported an old woman for years who had been an intimate friend of her mother's. At the same time she beat her laundress down to starvation prices. She lived in a hall bedroom herself and spent a lot of money fixing up a home for an invalid aunt. It was the furniture to go into this home that I sold Miss Baxter.

Falling in sending out my regular collector, I thought I would try a woman. She came away after a tongue skirmish that decided her never to undertake such a task again. I had a salesman, Frank Emery, in my employ, a good looking young fellow with one of the pleasantest smiles I ever saw on a man's face. Where other persons would scowl he would smile. He was invaluable as a salesman, especially since most of my customers were women. One of the other clerks used to say of him, "One of Frank's smiles sells a washstand, another sells a bureau, and when he shows his side grinders it means a whole bedroom set."

One day Frank said to me, "Mr. Ruggles, what'll you give me if I collect your debt from Miss Baxter?"

"I don't think any one can collect it, Frank," I replied. "I fancy the lady went in debt for it and has never been able to stop giving long enough to accumulate the amount of the bill. You can't squeeze blood out of a turnip."

"I'll tell you what I'll do, Mr. Ruggles. I didn't have any vacation last summer. The dull season is on now, and you can best spare me. Give me a few weeks' vacation and I'll see if I can get your money."

I acceded to his terms and giving him a statement of the account—\$142—sent him off to collect the debt in any way he might be able. The boys said that he'd get it in installments, giving a smile for each installment.

Three weeks passed before I heard a word from my collector. Then one day he came into the store, smiled and handed me the amount of Miss Baxter's indebtedness. I asked him how he had managed it, but he did not seem inclined to tell me. Indeed, he looked rather serious about it. This surprised me, for I had never known him to look serious about anything. But I got the story out of him piece-meal.

He had gone to Miss Baxter and told her he had heard that she was a tender hearted person. Would she kindly interest herself to get him employment? He was hungry and shabby (he wore a castoff suit), and he was not very strong. He could not do manual labor.

Quite likely it was the smile that did the business. Miss Baxter gave him the wherewithal to get something to eat while she was hunting a job for him. He put away the money, and she found plenty of jobs. But either they required too much strength or Frank was especially unfitted for them. He kept accepting donations from day to day, the lady having hard work to induce him to do so and only under promise that he should be permitted to return them as soon as she found a position for him. He very soon cleaned her out of all the ready money she possessed, after which she began to sacrifice what few valuables she owned, finally paying her winter coat, which she greatly needed.

I declined to take money achieved in this way, which appeared to be a great relief to Frank. Having started out to collect the debt in his own peculiar way, he was bound to follow the matter to the bitter end. He managed to preserve his equanimity till the lady gave up her winter coat for his benefit. That broke him up. I told him to return the money to Miss Baxter. He said that could only be done in some roundabout manner, but it would be done.

Before the next season opened one of my competitors offered Frank better pay than I was giving him, and I was obliged to double his salary. Instead of giving me a single smile when I told him of the raise, smiles seemed to bubble out all over him.

"It's not on my own account alone, Mr. Ruggles," he said, "that I rejoice. I am engaged, and this raise enables me to marry."

"Who is the lady, Frank?" I asked.

"Miss Euphemia Baxter."

"Great Scott!" I exclaimed. "You don't mean it?"

"I do. The truth is that while I was getting money out of her to pay her debt to you I was getting sweet on her. At last, instead of trying to collect the debt, I was testing her to see how far she would sacrifice herself for me."

"Have you confessed that you were deceiving her?"

"You bet I haven't, and I never will. I've got the money she gave me yet. I'm trying to find a way to give it to her to help her with the trousseau."

"Hope you'll succeed. Make out a list of articles you'll need to furnish a house and they shall be my wedding gift."

**"Major" Diamond Bankrupt.**

Hugh F. Diamond, who conducted a cigar, candy and news store at No. 630 Broadway, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court for the Southern District of New York on Tuesday. His liabilities are \$2,066 and assets are \$425.

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## Use of Mineral Oil.

Dr. Le Tanneur contributes to the Paris Medical some practical points in the use of mineral oil in constipation. The oil, he says, is in no way digested or even modified by the juices of the stomach and intestines. It acts as a lubricant and nothing else, though it tends to heal abrasions of the intestinal wall caused by rough particles of food.

The New York Medical Journal says mineral oil should be taken either before breakfast or after dinner, two tablespoonfuls being a dose. Its use should be continued every day for at least a fortnight, when the bowels will continue to work naturally without it, for the mineral oil is in no sense a cathartic, but it will cure constipation.—Kingston Daily Freeman, February 17, 1917.

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634 Broadway

Kingston, N. Y.



HEAD OF SUFFRAGE PARADE

HEAD OF SUFFRAGE INAUGURAL PARADE.

These are the women who led the little band of ardent suffragists in a parade around the White House on March 4, despite the usual inauguration weather. Left to right they are: Mrs. J. A. Hopkins, of Morristown, N. J.; Miss Mary Patterson, Mrs. William Kent, Miss Ann Martin, Mrs. Mary Russell and Mrs. Florence Hills.

## OPERA HOUSE Tonight Only

**LYMAN H. HOWE'S**  
 TRAVEL FESTIVAL  
 ANTARCTIC EXPEDITION  
 RAGING BLIZZARDS  
 POLAR LIFE  
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Prices: Balcony 25c, 35c; Main Floor 50c

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**TONIGHT**  
 DANIEL FROSMAN Presents  
**MARGUERITE CLARK**  
 — IN —  
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Kingston's Foremost Store  
Bids You Welcome on This Occasion of It's

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## Forty-Sixth Anniversary Celebration

While this store is old in experience, it is seeking to learn. If we can get fresh viewpoints right along, absorbing new facts and ideas, then development progresses steadily and we do not grow old.

Age with some stores comes on early, and with others it never seems to come at all. Many old people, like this old store, have younger ideas and lively minds than those of more tender years.

BIRTHDAY PARTY OF  
TABLE LINENS, TOWELING

1.75 all Linen Table Damask, made in Belfort; 72 in. wide, value \$2, special... **1.46**  
\$6 Napkins to match... **4.46**  
59c Mercerized Damask, 66 in. wide, extra heavy special... **46c**  
4 yds, 15c Union Linen brown crash toweling... **46c**  
3 yds, all Linen Crash toweling, for... **46c**

59c Scarfs, hemstitched, 18x50 linen finish, embroidered and lace trimmed, at... **46c**  
59c Extra large size, colored borders and all white turkish towels, at... **46c**  
Two—reg 29c White hemmed turkish towels, for... **46c**  
Six—10c Huck guest towels, one half linen for... **46c**

Anniversary  
Beddings

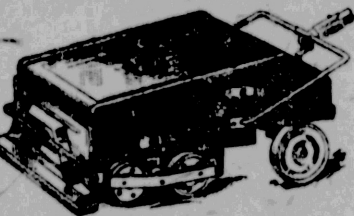
\$3 to 3.50 woolnap plaid blankets, for full size bed, at... **2.46**  
\$2 white cotton blankets, extra large size, colored borders, at... **1.46**  
Two—81x90 sheets, of good quality muslin without seam, val. 1.70, for... **1.46**  
Three—25c 45x36, pillow cases... **46c**  
Two—30c 45x36, anchor cases, for... **46c**  
1.75 dimity Bed Spread, for 3-4 size bed, **1.46**  
\$3 Hemmed, satin finished, bed Spread ass'td patterns, double bed size... **2.46**  
\$2 Silkoline Comforts, figured both sides; sanitary cotton filling, large size... **1.46**

Dress Goods  
and Silks

75c Storm Serge, in gray, green, navy and brown with white hairline stripe 40 inches wide, yd... **46c**  
\$2 Black and Navy Blue Crepe Voile, all wool 54 inches wide, yd... **1.46**  
75 to 100 pieces of Remnants, of all wool dress goods, all colors; worth \$1 to 2.50 at each... **46c**  
1.75 Black and colored Taffeta, all the wanted spring shades; 36 inches wide, at... **1.46**  
59c Silk & Cotton Shirting, bright satin stripes of various colorings, all fast colors; 32 inches wide, yard at... **46c**  
75c Imported Natural Shantung Silks, 27 inches wide at... **46c**

Vacuum Sweeper Special  
That Means Big Value

\$7.50 VALUE  
Combinations, all the latest patents, at... **\$5.46**



## Anniversary Basement Specials

OCEAN MOPS, triangle mop, reg. 75c; at... **46c**  
12 oz. 50c bottle of OCEAN POLISH at... **46c**  
PARLOR BROOMS, fine quality... **46c**  
GAS MANTLES, 6 inverted gas mantles, val 60c **46c**

OCTAGON SOAP 4 cakes, Octagon Soap Powder 4 cans, Octagon Scouring Powder 4 cans, value 60c; all for—

**46c**

WASH BOARDS, good qual. glass or zinc... **46c**  
WATER GLASSES, neatly cut; grape design, set of 6 at... **46c**  
WATER SET, Colonial glass, jug and six glasses **46c**  
MAHOGANY CANDLESTICKS and bud vases; value 95c, at... **46c**

A Special Table of CUT GLASS baskets, marmalad jars; vases, silver plated novelties, fancy china, sterling silver etc. val. to \$1... **46c**

## Monogram Stationery

69c Box of Paper or cards with envelopes, with your own monogram, 30 diff. styles... **46c**

## Engraved Name Cards

Plate and 50 cards with your name, reg. \$1 at... **46c**

## Ladies Hosiery

Ladies Imported Black Lisle Thread Hose; special **46c**

## Ladies Handkerchiefs

Four 13c Handkerchiefs, for... **46c**

## "Its Always Better at Van Wagenen's"

The ultimate success of a Store depends in the long run upon the confidence of the public in Good Value and Good Service.

Price should be the last consideration, for it is foolish economy to buy two poor articles at a low price when one good article at a fair price would give more lasting satisfaction.

Quality at a fair price is true economy—and is the test of final cost.

With VanWagenen's it is

First—Quality—that we can recommend.

Second—Service—and all that implies.

Third—Price—and by that we mean selling at as low a figure as will give us the necessary profit to keep the store running successfully.

The value of respect, good-will and real friendship is great in its influence upon the character of the relations of a store with the public from year to year. It would be dispiriting, discouraging and disquieting to feel that we were drifting along here making no permanent attachments among those who come to buy, and that our trade was only fleeting and transient and equally as willing to buy elsewhere. A store without stability in the character of its customers is like a ship without a rudder—drifting and in danger of going to pieces on the rocks.

No store can last, or ought to last, which does not recognize and accept the principle that permanent trade is a bulwark of defense against the dangers of swinging along aimlessly with the tide as it comes and goes. We believe that if there is any way to ascertain the views of the public it will be found they are all in favor of trading at the store which they can trust. In Kingston, such a store is—and has been for the 45 years—VanWagenen's.

"46" In the  
Art Department

\$2.50 Bedroom Baskets... **\$1.46**  
59c Stamped Centerpieces... **46c**  
Stamped Fudge Aprons... **46c**  
\$1.98 Leather Auto Pillows... **\$1.46**  
98c Cretonne Pillows... **46c**  
\$1.98 Cretonne Pillows... **\$1.46**

## DOMESTICS

6 yds. Regular 12c Muslin, bleached, soft finish, (limit 12 yds.) for... **46c**  
Twelve 5c Wash Cloths for... **46c**  
Three yards Underwear Crepe, pink or white... **46c**  
Five yards 10c Amoskeag Apron Gingham... **46c**



## Anniversary Bag Special

Genuine Cowhide Traveling Bag, 16 and 18 in., 5 year guarantee, \$10 val., In This sale only

**\$7.46**Special Anniversary Offerings in  
Smart Spring Apparel  
and Millinery

At Remarkable Early Season Prices.

We place on sale tomorrow, an extensive showing of Stylish new Spring Suits, Dresses and Blouses, in the most approved fashions, at amazingly Low Prices.

## Correct Spring Suits

In Gabardines, Poirer Twills, Iricotines, Burellas, Jerseys and Men's wear Serges, Special Anniversary, Offerings, at... **14.46 to 49.46**

## Stunning Spring Coats

In Bolivias, Jerseys, Serges, Poirer Twills, Gunniburl and mixtures; Special Anniversary Offerings, at... **12.46 to 39.46**

## Wonderful Serge Dresses at 12.46

## A Feature of the Anniversary Sale

Charming Dresses of Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine and Taffeta, Anniversary Specials, **14.46 to 49.46**

New Blouses of Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe—On Sale at **3.46—4.46**



## Hail the Flag of Freedom!



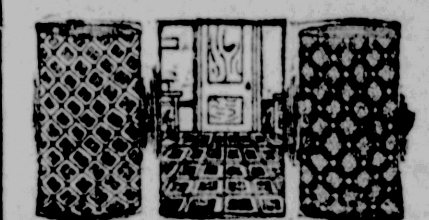
AMERICAN FLAGS, 5 feet by 8 feet, colors guaranteed. SEWED stripes. Fitted on an 8 foot finely finished pole, with gold ball. VALUE \$2.50, at

**\$1.46**Anniversary  
Curtains and  
Shades

White Marquisette Curtains, with hemstitched hem, hand-drawn motif corners, complete, ready for the rod, worth \$2.00 the pair in a regular way for our Anniversary Sale... **\$1.46**

## Window Shade Special

Shades three inches longer than regular size, complete in a Unit package with pull and fixtures. A five-year guaranteed roller. Colors are white, dark green, medium green and yellow. Extra special at

**46c**Birthday Specials  
In Floor Coverings

AXMINSTER RUGS, seamless, size 9x12, large assortment of patterns. Anniversary Sale price... **\$23.46**

BRUSSELS RUGS, seamless, 9x12 feet, Smith make, \$18.00 value... **14.46**

AXMINSTER RUGS, superfine quality, 9x12 feet, regularly \$35, special at **29.46**

## LINOLEUM SPECIAL

A good, serviceable grade of Linoleum, five neat patterns, two yards wide, worth 60c the square yard, at... **46c**

"46" Given Great Significance  
Among These Articles for the Toilet

10 Cakes Ivory Soap... **46c**  
60c Scott's Emulsion... **46c**  
25c Box Sanitol Tooth Powder, 25c Tube Sanitol Tooth Paste, 25c Box Tooth Powder for **46c**  
50c Tube Pebecco Tooth Paste and 15c Cell Handle Tooth Brush, for... **46c**  
12 Cakes regular 5c Toilet Soap for... **46c**

5 Rolls Toilet Paper, 1,000 sheets in each roll, worth 12 1-2c each, for... **46c**  
2 lbs. Regular 30c Coffee... **46c**  
1-2 lb. Vantine's Orange Peko Tea, very delicious... **46c**  
PALMOLIVE SPECIAL—A 50c bottle of Palmolive Shampoo, Face Powder or Cream, with 4 cakes of regular 10c Palmolive Soap, 90c worth, for... **46c**

## Many "46" Random Bargain Shots

## Ladies Neckwear

Lace trimmed large collars, values 75c, at... **46c**  
Two large stylish Collars; for... **46c**

## Shopping Bags

Leather Shopping bags, various styles... **46c**

## Ribbons

Two yards of beautiful ribbons; fancy or plain colors... **46c**

## Mens Jewelry

Cuff Links, Scarf Pins, Tie Clasp; worth up to \$2 at... **46c**

## Kid Gloves

2-Clasp Kid Gloves, tan, white and black, broken sizes; \$1 value, at... **46c**

## Boys Shirts

Fancy Percales, no collars, full size and well made, 59c val... **46c**

## Mens Neckwear

One lot of mens 50c Neckwear, at... **46c**

## Silk Shirts

Mens Silk Shirts, good patterns value 3.98; at... **2.46**

## Stationery Dep't

59c Box of white or colored writing Paper or cards... **46c**  
19c Box of Paper or Cards, 4 boxes... **46c**  
8 Packs of reg. 10c Playing Cards at... **46c**  
60c Latest Popular Copyrighted Fiction... **46c**  
59c Extension Oak Book Rack, at... **46c**

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Toilet Articles

The selection comprises Ivory Handled Mirrors, Hair Brushes, Puff Boxes, Hair Receivers, Nail Polishers, Comb and Brush Trays, Cologne Bottles, Jewel Boxes, Candle Sticks and other pretty, useful articles. Values up to \$1.00... **46c**

50c to 1.00 Fancy Back Combs with Rhinestones, 2 for... **46c**



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KINGSTON, N. Y., MARCH 7, 1917.

Take note of the dates: On January 19 the Kaiser proposed an alliance with Mexico and Japan against the United States. On January 21 the German government withdrew its pledges to our government, ordered unrestricted submarine warfare, and at once the machinery of German ships in American harbors was smashed. On February 3 Ambassador Bernstorff was given his passport. On February 5 the German Foreign Secretary declared this suspension of diplomatic relations as "astonishing" and complained that President Wilson had given the announcement from Berlin "an interpretation not intended by Germany." On February 28 the Mexican intrigue of January 19 was made public, and in admitting it three days later, the same Foreign Secretary Zimmerman declared that it was "not only the right but the duty" of his government "to take precautions in time," thus dropping the mask worn on February 5 when the German government was "astonished" to find that Washington had made an interpretation "not intended by Germany." Comment is needless further than to remark that the time has gone by when any importance can be attached to persuasive or seemingly friendly utterances coming from official Berlin. Hereafter this country may know what to expect and may indulge in no illusions.

Every philosopher from the time of Plato to the present has been at one time or another of the opinion that time is the most precious of possessions, a thing that is a "great deal more than money." He says "In the realm of time there is no aristocracy of wealth, no aristocracy of intellect. Genius is never rewarded by even an extra hour a day." It is this democracy of opportunity that makes a project such as elimination of the time-wasting Broadway railroad grade crossing a matter of such general interest among citizens of all classes. Each of us out of twenty-four hours a day has to spin the means of support for self and family, money, pleasure and some measure of comfortment here and hereafter. When an artificial condition is created which automatically wastes the time of people in their daily business and social affairs the damage thus inflicted upon the community is so far-reaching in its effects as to be exceedingly difficult, if not impossible, to estimate with even an approximate accuracy. Time is more than money in the span of human life and endeavor. A wholesale waste of time makes for inefficiency on a huge scale. The grade crossing should be eliminated and the Mayor's constant reiteration of this demand must in the end effect such abolition at the earliest moment when the taxpayers can bear the expense and the best means of carrying out the work are discovered.

Ulster County now possesses one automobile to every twenty-six residents, as against a ratio of one to thirty-eight a year ago. Little more than a dozen years ago gas-propelled machines were a novelty in this city and vicinity, whereas now they are almost indispensable to convenience and pleasure. If the rate of growth shown the past year is sustained the next few years will see almost every person of voting age driving a car. That expectation, of course, depends largely upon the holding out of the gasoline supply, whose finish is predicted for 1930 or thereabouts. Scientists may be depended upon to evolve great improvements in the gas engine as we know it today, and denatured alcohol, kerosene and cheaper combinations of gas producing fluids are well within the bounds of reasonable an-

icipation. It is a great prospect. By the time we all get automobiles probably aviation will be a recognized means of getting to the office and traffic rules will apply more to public highways than to pavements. Nevertheless, we are getting on, more and more upon wheels. The Secretary of State's figures for automobile licenses are incontrovertible evidence of the fact.

"What hath God wrought?" is a sentence so long hauled down in school copy books as the first message ever sent over a telegraph wire as to be accepted generally as the correct, unadulterated version. Now comes the iconoclastic information in the Popular Science Monthly that the first message sent in a public demonstration of the possibilities of the Morse instrument read: "Tyler deserves to be hanged." According to this latter day authority, a wire was strung from a committee room to the dome of the capital in Washington and the message transmitted was one composed by a member of the committee opposed to President Tyler. Thus the hook is given to another supposedly historic adage. It is likely that the first-mentioned message was sent by Morse in his first demonstration between cities, as it has all the marks of having been composed for an occasion. But "Tyler deserves to be hanged," rings true. It is a message typical of a Congressman and the peculiar Missouri-wise attitude some Solons assume toward modern inventions and improvements.

## LITTLE LAUGHS.

Burglar—"Quick, now! Where do you keep your potatoes?"—Life.

"Don't take notice of the cook, dear." "How can I help it when she's just given it?"—Baltimore American.

Hokus—"If you want an umbrella to last a long time, don't rent it." Pokus—"I have a better scheme." Hokus—"What is it?" Pokus—"Don't lend it."—Judge.

Girl's Father—"But how can you support my daughter? Twenty dollars a week won't pay the rent." Sutter—"You don't mean to say you'll charge Edith and me rent, do you?"—Boston Transcript.

"The trouble with you," remarked the blunt friend, "is that you haven't improved your opportunities." "That's the trouble with most people," replied Mr. Grump. "The whole dictionary full of words has been at everybody's disposal, but nobody else put 'em together the way Shakespeare did."—Washington Star.

"Do you believe there is any such word as fail?" asked the man in the smoking car to the person sitting next to him. "Sure there is," was the reply. "But some people say there is not." "Well, I say there is, and I ought to know." "Why should you know more than the others?" "Because I'm a referee in bankruptcy."—Yonkers Statesman.

All the Earmarks.

"Why are you sobbing, my little man?" inquired the kindly man of the little boy who was weeping bitterly. "My pa's a—a millionaire philanthropist," sobbed the child. "Well, I can't see that that is anything to cry about." "Yuh can't, can't yuh? He's promised to give me \$5 to spend Christmas, provided I raise a similar amount."—Williamsport Grit.

Preach.

One day Mr. Jellaby had his twin babies down town, tucked in their double-ended carriage, facing each other, with only their little round faces showing out of the blankets. A boy caught sight of the babies, and he cried in astonishment: "O mother, look quick! There is a baby with a head on both ends!"—Youth's Companion.

Propitious Occasion.

Edward, aged four, prided himself on his bravery. Suddenly meeting a strange dog in a vacant lot near his home, he unconsciously fled to the house. Upon being questioned as to whether he was afraid, he said: "No; I just thought it was a good time to see how fast I could run."—Harper's Magazine.

Twenty and Ten Years Ago.

March 7, 1897—Andrew N. Barnes appointed alderman of Second ward in place of Samuel F. Chappell resigned.

The Rev. B. Grad took charge as pastor of Temple Emanuel.

Residence of Charles H. Story at Ulster Park robbed of silverware.

March 7, 1907—Formal opening of new Kingston exchange of Hudson River Telephone Company on central Broadway.

Death of Patrick Curran on West Chestnut street, aged 62 years.

Mrs. Bridget Devine died at her home in Ponckhockie.

COTTEKILL.

Cottekill, March 7.—The young people of this village who so successfully rendered "Cupid's Capers" in the J. O. L. A. M. Hall here a few weeks ago, went to Stone Ridge Tuesday evening and gave it in the basement of the Reformed Church there to a large audience. There were a number who went from here to again hear it.

The heaviest snow storm of the year visited this village on Monday accompanied by a high wind, leaving about eight inches of snow on the level and numerous drifts.

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## Now for an early "announcement"

### Hart Schaffner & Marx styles for spring are here

YOU'LL be glad to hear it; most men look forward to this event with keen interest. Here are some of the good things you'll see at this store.

The styles—the famous Varsity Fifty Five designs for young men and men who like young style. New belt-backs, pinch-backs. Varsity Six Hundred overcoats; some with belt all around.

The fabrics—all-wool; worsteds finished and unfinished; flannels; serges; homespuns, chevots; Dixie weaves.

The colors: grays, greens, blues and browns—any number of new ideas you haven't seen before.

You'll see the Hart Schaffner & Marx label in all of these garments; it's your guarantee of absolute satisfaction; a small thing to look for, a big thing to find.

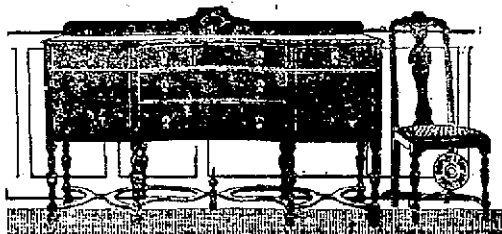
The latest neckwear is on display: Smart designs, rich silks; wonderful Spring Patterns; shoes, hats, shirts, gloves—Everything you need is ready and waiting.

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Kingston, N. Y.



### The Queen's Dining Room

IT WAS Queen Mary who made china collecting popular in her day. This vogue naturally influenced furniture styles, and William and Mary designs are therefore particularly appropriate for the dining room.

With good judgment and skill, the elements of this romantic period have been adapted to present-day furniture needs.

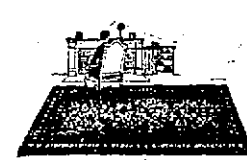
This idea is one of the factors in the success of Berkey & Gay furniture. Classic forms as illustrated are so handled by their artists as to be charmingly comfortable to the average home.

Dining suits may be had at prices which are reasonable, and quality considered, remarkable. You are invited to inspect them.

## STOCK & CORDTS

Newburgh Corps on Motors.  
An order for two motorcycles for use by Newburgh's traffic squad has been placed.

So Should We.  
We should hesitate to trade horses with a man who makes his living that way.—Atchison Globe.



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They "fill the bill" in all those particulars most desirable in floor coverings of the better class. They are carefully constructed of selected pieces of patterns and colorings which have received the unqualified and unanimous approval of experts who have made rugs and carpets the subject of life-time study.

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Our display of floor coverings, to which you are cordially invited, is generous as to quantity, quality, and variety.

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Beaver Board

### CITY OF KINGSTON BONDS AT AUCTION.

Pursuant to the General Municipal Law of the State of New York, Chapter 24 of the Laws of 1916, the City Council of the City of Kingston, N. Y., and an ordinance passed by the Common Council of said city, on July 6th, 1916, the undersigned, Treasurer of the City of Kingston, will sell at public auction at the City Hall, in said city, on the 16th day of March, 1917, at 11 o'clock, a.m., for the purpose of paying the school's bonded indebtedness amounting to the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars as follows:  
Bidding and equipping new high school bonds \$10,000 in denominations of \$1,000 each, payable April 1st, 1928.  
Said bonds must be paid for on day of delivery, or at before the 31st day of March, 1917.  
Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent, payable semi-annually on the 1st days of August and October.  
The principal and interest of said bonds will be payable at the office of the Treasurer of said city.  
Dated, Kingston, N. Y., March 5, 1917.  
WARD B. EVERETT,  
City Treasurer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Judge of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against George W. March, late of the town of Ulster, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Sarah Burhans and Catherine Burhans, Administrators of the estate of said deceased, at Lake Katine, Ulster County, N. Y., in the said town of Ulster, on or before the 30th day of May, 1917.  
Dated, November 7, 1916.  
SARAH BURHANS and CATHERINE BURHANS,  
Administrators, etc., of the estate of George W. March, deceased, Lake Katine, New York.

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Dated, October 31, 1916.  
MAGGIE J. SAHLER and CATHERINE B. SMITH,  
Executrices.  
DeWitt Ross, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

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Never does "Connie" Mack protest a decision of an umpire. When his players kick, they do it in a manner that wins consideration rather than election from the umpire. When Mack does not agree with the umpire he debates and reasons rather than protests. He will talk the play over with you on the bench the next day, or argue it out with you on the train if you happen to be making a jump with his team.

A few years ago a play came up in Cleveland over which "Connie" disagreed with the official, but he did not make known his grievance until the next afternoon. Mack's team had the game sewed up at the time, a new official was judging balls and strikes, and a word from Mack from the bench sent his players, who intended to protest, back to their positions. Mack desired to see the new recruit get a good start; he knew that to advance any argument that might cause the umpire to reverse his decision on a point of rule would tend to weaken his mastery of the field, and so Mack accepted the verdict as given.

The play came up with Chief Bender pitching, Ira Thomas catching, and "Joe" Jackson was at the bat. Knowing Jackson's ability to hit almost anything, Bender decided he could do the least damage to a slow one; Jackson had just fouled off two fast ones into the right field stand. With two strikes on him, "Joe" took a healthy swing at Bender's most deceptive slow ball. His effort was a little foul tip that struck Ira Thomas high on the chest protector and bounded into the air. Thomas managed to catch the ball before it touched the ground, and contended that Jackson was struck out. The young umpire refused to allow the out, claiming that Thomas had been aided in making the catch by the protector.

Answer to Problem.

The play seldom comes up, and in a way was a rather peculiar one. The umpire would have acted more wisely, however, had he allowed the strike-out. Since the ball struck the protector and bounded squarely into the air, Jackson really was struck out. Had the ball stuck in the protector at the neck momentarily and then rolled out, Thomas making the catch before it struck the ground, the umpire would have been right to not allow the out, as the protector would have aided in making the catch. The rebound must be direct for an out. Mack, to illustrate the play to the young umpire the next day, put the following question to him: "Say that a fly ball knocked to the outfield was lost in the sun and struck one of the players on the chest, bounded off and was caught by the other fielder who was backing up before the ball touched the ground, what would you do?" The umpire said he would declare the man out. Mack finally made him see the foul-tip play in the same light.

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RETIRED TWO PITCHERS

Did you ever hear about one pinch-hitter who retired two pitchers with one swing of his bat?

His name is Tom Clark, the Rhinelander backstop. On June 13, 1916, the Reds and Braves battled to a 16-inning scoreless tie. Toney started the game for the Cincinnatians and Rudolph did likewise for the Bostonians. But neither finished it, because Clark finished both of them in the twelfth.

The Reds got a man on the bag in the twelfth session and Cholly Herzog, then plotting the Red skiff, decided to send Clark to bat in place of Toney. That removed Toney from the battle-field. Rudolph served up a twister to Clark and the catcher at once whaled it right back to Rudolph. The drive hit the bald-headed finger on his operating tin—and he went away in search of a doctor.

CANAL FOR TRAINING CAMPS

Fans of Isthmus of Panama Want Major League Teams to Train There—Conditions Ideal.

Baseball fans of the Isthmus of Panama are booming that section as a location for training camps for the big league teams. It is claimed that the sanitary conditions of the Canal zone, under the care and direction of the army and canal officers, are excellent, and that, with the dry season extending from December to April, the major league baseball players could not find a more satisfactory location for rounding into shape.

Baseball is exceedingly popular there, and the teams would be sure of good gates at any exhibition games that might be staged during their stay in the Canal zone.

Drop Use of Card.

Thomas Edison advises young people to work to avoid temptation. Will some of our readers kindly try this and let us know whether it's worth attempting?—Macdon Telegraph.

LITTLE PICKUPS OF SPORT

Peter Scott (2:05) will not be raced this year.

Harvard has a squad of 80 track and field candidates at work indoors.

A fellow can't train for a footrace in a motor car, which explains why a number of once promising boxers have failed.

The annual California vs. University of Southern California football game will be played on Thanksgiving day this year.

Alaska and Panama have baseball clubs, which makes it pretty near unanimous so far as North America is concerned.

"Than whom there is no greater batsman," writes a eulogist of Ty Cobb. Well, in 1916, Tris Speaker was a wee bit than whom.

Well, you've got to admit that Jess Willard is neutral, strictly neutral—he doesn't care whom he gives a benefit for so long as it is for Jess Willard.

Kansas City (Mo.) amateur boxers may take trips to Memphis, New Orleans, Denver and Boston to take part in tourneys held in those cities this fall.

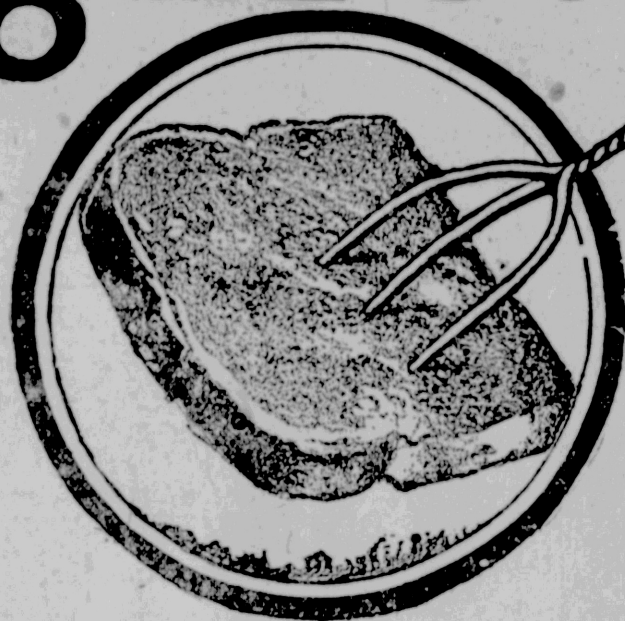
Many reasons have been advanced why diamond stars should be ruled out of literature, but nobody has expressed a fear that they might acquire writer's cramp.

Two Chinese, Y. C. Lee and L. H. Yip, are among candidates for Columbia university's wrestling team. Lee is competing in the 115-pound class and Yip in the 125-pound class.

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## BENDS IN BIG GUNS

Their Weight Gives Some of Them a Curvature of the Spine.

DROOP AT THEIR MUZZLES.

In Some Cases the Flexure is Great Enough, if Not Allowed For, to Affect the Accuracy of the Weapon—How the Defect is Corrected.

The newest American dreadnaughts are to be armed with sixteen inch rifles, and the layman takes it as a matter of course that these monster weapons are merely bigger brothers of the fourteen inch gun. But this offhand conclusion is decidedly at fault. The sixteen inch gun is a more exacting engineering problem than the fourteen inch weapon, and just because of its greater length and girth and weight it is a more difficult piece to make precise in its action. The bigger the gun the more it is prone to develop troublesome characteristics, and the ordnance engineer has his cunning heavily taxed in order to neutralize or to minimize these inherent tendencies.

To begin with, the sixteen inch gun, without its mount, represents an outlay of \$175,000, that being the price paid for the materials used and the skilled workmanship. Unless fabricated with exquisite regard to accuracy the weapon is neither safe to fire nor capable of standing up to its work during a relatively short active career, measured by something like a couple of hundred rounds.

It must be remembered that a sixteen inch shell weighs about a ton—to be exact, 2,100 pounds—and the powder impulse exerts sufficient energy back of the projectile to start it from a standstill and to send it hurtling from the weapon's muzzle at a velocity of 2,800 feet a second. It would not do to have that speeding shell jam in the bore of the rifle, because if suddenly arrested it would probably fracture the weapon if it did not cause a graver disaster. Therefore the ordnance engineer must see that the path represented by the bore is as nearly a straight line as it is mechanically and physically possible to make it.

A twelve inch gun of 45 caliber is forty-five feet long, and except at the single supporting point the heavy mass of the extended weapon is without any sustaining help. These monster pieces of ordnance are virtually single pivoted girders, and their power to resist bending or deformation depends essentially upon the strength of the materials employed and the distribution of the mass. Clearly, then, the bigger the rifle the greater becomes the disposition to droop toward the muzzle, and not only does this impair the shooting accuracy, but in time the weapon becomes a source of danger to its own people.

The weight of some of the big guns now in use in the navy causes them to droop at their muzzles as much as half or three-quarters of an inch, and this, if not realized and allowed for in sighting, will make the shooting inaccurate, the inaccuracy increasing with the length of range. In fact, the projectile on leaving the gun is directed by the last six feet of the muzzle. That is to say that if the rifle has a droop the shell follows the curvature instead of taking the line assumed by the gun pointer at the telescopic sight.

The bureau of ordnance in Washington has been working at this problem as guns have grown in length and diameter of bore. At the present time the great fourteen inch weapons have an appreciable droop of only .38 of an inch. This droop is not enough to endanger the life of the gun or to impair its range, provided the sights are adjusted to it. But there is another influence at work which tends to affect this droop and to cause it to vary some hundredths of an inch from time to time. This is the weather. For instance, a gun will droop when the sun shines fiercely upon its upper side, while the under side is shaded. But so long as this total deflection does not exceed half an inch there is no danger of the shell jamming in passing along the slightly curved bore.

In the latest of our big naval weapons this droop has been still further reduced by extending the jacket or hoop further out over the forward part of the gun. This serves to stiffen the gun so that the sun has not as much deforming effect as heretofore. It may be asked, "What about the other guns now in service that have not been so re-enforced to check drooping?" The bureau of ordnance has resorted to a very simple expedient in correcting this curvature.

The deformed weapon is simply rotated in the recoil sleeve of the mount until the underside of the rifle is uppermost. The muzzle then, instead of dipping actually, is curved skyward. In time the natural elasticity of the metal asserts itself, and the overhanging weight of the outstretched muzzle gradually presses the chase downward and straightens out the piece.—New York Sun.

## Well Balanced Tires.

"Balance in a tire means that the tire must be so built as to wear evenly in all parts," said a manufacturer recently. "It would be foolish to produce, for instance, a tread so excellent that much of it would be left after the carcass had worn out and equally foolish to provide side walls that would outlast every other part of a tire. The ideal is a tire that will wear out uniformly in every part."

"Time ripens all things. No man is born wise.—Cervantes.

## Expensive Ambition.

Novelist Philip Curtiss says that at heart all women are cave women. But that wouldn't be so bad if they didn't want to drive up to the cave in a limousine.—Grand Rapids Press.

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All sorts of reasons are given by various famous athletes as to how they came to select the particular branch of sport in which they have established their reputations. But Chick Evans, national amateur and open golf champion gives the most novel of reasons. Chick says that he might have become a baseball player after having pitched a no-hit game for his high school in Chicago several years ago. Had it not been for a torn ligament of the shoulder sustained while playing the national game. Again, Chick says, he might have gone in for football if he hadn't suffered a broken leg in a high school game. After these misfortunes Chick took up golf.

## WEST SAUGERTIES.

West Saugerties, March 7.—The entertainment given by the Blue Ribbon Society and Christian Endeavors was a success, socially and financially. The chapel was crowded to its full capacity, and made one think they were in one of the city theaters, as it was very tastefully decorated for the occasion. The music was furnished by William Hommel and Mrs. A. M. Overbaugh of Blue Mountain, who kept the audience in fine fettle between the acts. The program was as follows: Before the curtain parted everyone joined in singing "America," the old song which we love so well, and after the audience was seated the curtain parted and we listened to Lena Myer recite "My Ideal." "Our Awful Aunt" was then introduced by Mrs. Lottie Myer, Mrs. Addie Whitbeck, Mrs. Nettie Myer, Mrs. Pauline Hommel and Henry Bach in first act. Song by Thelma Minkler. "Our Awful Aunt" in second act, by Floyd Burton, Roland Osborn, Henry Bach, Melvin Schoonmaker, Andrew Whalen, Charley Bach, Mrs. Addie Whitbeck, Mrs. Nettie Myer, Mrs. Lottie Myer and Mrs. Pauline Hommel, ending with a song, "Touch Not the Cup." Dialogue by Lena and Lillian Myer. Song entitled, "Hello Baby," by Mrs. Addie Whitbeck. Recitation by Lillian Myer. Comedy, "Only Joe," in three acts by Irene Mahary, Laura Bach, Ida Bach, Julia Garris, Lela Cashdollar and Millard Carr. Singing, "Kentucky Home." After the play refreshments were served by the ladies and handkerchiefs were on sale. We were glad to see people from Saugerties, Veteran, Palenville, Manorville, and we thank them for helping us to make it a success, as we netted the sum of \$25, and we also thank the people of Blue Mountain, who so kindly helped us to make it a success, by giving a helping hand in using their talents.

## GLENFORD.

Glenford, March 7.—Miss Carrie Gay spent Friday with Mrs. B. J. Baker in Kingston.

T. S. Lennox had the misfortune to crack two or three of his ribs on Friday last, when he was thrown from the sleigh.

J. V. Moore has been awarded the contract for carrying the mail, Route No. 7477, Montoma to Glenford railroad station.

Miss Ruth Castle is indisposed at this writing.

A slight commotion on the mountain side the other evening. Fortunately did not result in a great battle.

Mrs. J. W. Moore and son, Lloyd, spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with friends in Kingston.

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Roscoe V. Moore is employed at Dedrick's drug store, Kingston, for a few days.

## "Iron Police" Ordered.

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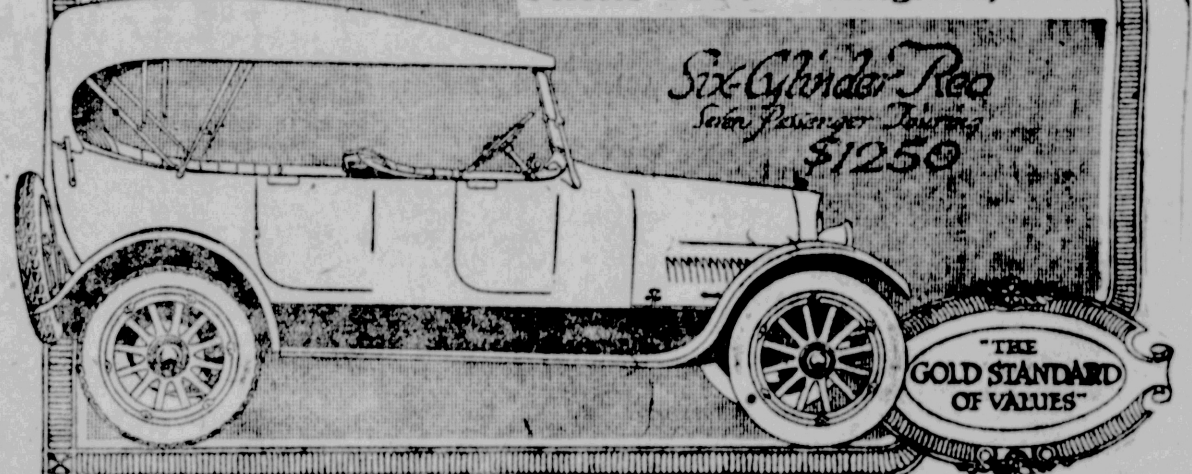
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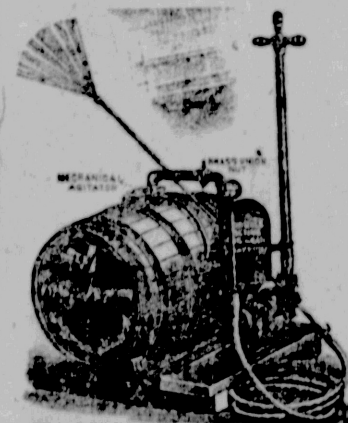
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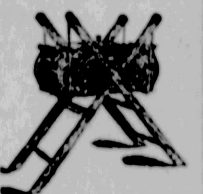
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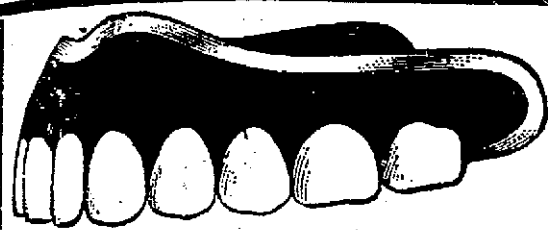
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## A MIND BOARDING-HOUSE.

One Touch of Food Makes All Feathers Kin Says Mr. Anderson.

During the recent snows and the accompanying severe winter weather the garden in the rear of the residence of George W. Anderson, No. 29 Green street, has presented an interesting and unusual spectacle. Mr. Anderson, who is an ardent lover of birds, has thrown out food for the feathered tribes, and most any hour of the day the birds—often to the number of hundreds—may be seen enjoying the feast which Mr. Anderson's thoughtfulness has provided for them. This bird ensemble is a most picturesque and unusual one, extremely heterogeneous in character. The birds include the bold, inevitable little sparrow, the English starling, snow birds and several other varieties. To cap the climax, during the past week many crows have joined the feasters, and among the guests at the birdland table d'hotes none seem to enjoy the "spreads" more than Mr. and Mrs. Crow. The presence of crows within such a short distance of human habitations is extraordinary, for the crows are regarded by naturalists as perhaps the most wary of all our native birds, and it is seldom that he carries longer than a few minutes near the homes of city dwellers. These crows, however, have become so tame that they perch in the trees immediately back of Mr. Anderson's house, after completing a meal, and since they have grown to know him well it has become necessary for Mr. Anderson to "shoo" them away when putting food on the ground in order that the smaller birds may have a chance to get their fill. Neighbors claim that Mr. Anderson has a secret for bird feed, which has so tickled the palates of the crows that they have forsaken their customary caution. Mr. Anderson denies this, and says these bird gatherings simply illustrate a natural truth—that necessity knows no law. "The necessity of food makes them all equal," he remarks, "no matter what distinctions of caste may prevail among birds in ordinary times. They say 'birds of a feather flock together.' My experiments give this old adage the reverse English. The necessity of a common enemy, once a menace like starvation becomes common to all. It's the same way with humans. Let a city or a nation become threatened by some dire calamity and every class will rub elbows in the struggle for self-preservation. The bitterest of enemies will become as friends. There's one old saying which is eternally right: 'One touch of nature makes the whole world kin.'"

## WEST PARK.

West Park, March 6.—The Woman's Auxiliary of Ascension parish will meet with Mrs. Harry Terwilliger on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The nurse, Miss Harriet Gridley, who has had the care of Mrs. R. C. Searing for the past five weeks, returned to her home in Scottsville on Tuesday.

Gilbert Ackert is ill at his daughter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elliot are both afflicted with grip, or kindred trouble.

Elisba Smith has been confined to his home for several weeks, and the mother of George Hasbrouck is ill at her son's home.

Work is progressing as rapidly as possible with the cellar of Luke Connor's new bungalow, but weather conditions interfere very greatly. Yet the wall will be above ground this week.

The Peripatetic Philosopher in his walks about town has observed the emerging of our local cars, noticeably that of Vincent Travis and Carl Peterson is using a 12 cylinder Packard instead of his former favorite.

Miss Ruth Towill is visiting her brothers, Vernon and Douglass, in New York.

Lenten services will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Atkins on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The services in Ascension Church will be held on Friday morning at 10 o'clock and in the evening at 7:15 o'clock. Choir rehearsal at 8 o'clock.

## SAINT JOSEN.

Saint Josen, March 7.—Carleton B. Riley and Archie Lawrence have gone in the boiling sap on shares on the lot belonging to Mrs. Depuy.

Henry Lawrence is sawing wood in Accord.

Mrs. Mary C. Depuy entertained at her home on Saturday afternoon and evening Mrs. George Lawrence, Peter Coddington and family, Lewis Miller and family, Warren Lawrence and son, W. H. Rose, and family.

A number from this place attended the play at Accord the past week.

S. K. Wysocki is going around with Mr. Ledderman sawing wood. Frank Coddington fell recently on the way from the woods and hurt himself quite bad.

Alice Coddington called on friends in Accord on Saturday.

Lewis Miller is now getting about 200 eggs daily.

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A number from this place attend-



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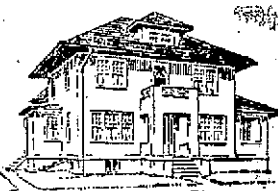
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## DETECTIVES SEEK "MASTER SPY"

Head of Kaiser's Secret Service Force in United States Still at Large—Germans Threatened Carranza.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

New York, March 7.—Germany threatened Carranza with "the most formidable revolution he had ever known" if he refused to make war on the United States in accordance with Foreign Secretary Zimmerman's proposals for a German-Mexico-Japanese alliance.

This fact, together with other sensational developments, were disclosed by federal authorities today in the investigation that followed the arrest of Dr. Ernest Mathias Sakunna, a German, and Dr. Chandra Chakraborty, a Bengalee, for formulating an "East Indian" plot.

Information obtained by federal authorities from papers seized in the office of Wolf von Igel, at the time of the Welland Canal plot exposures, together with other bits of evidence, enabled federal authorities here, they said, to announce these disclosures.

That Robert Fay, lieutenant in the German army, who escaped from the federal penitentiary at Atlanta while serving a term for plotting to destroy allied munition ships, went to Mexico, where he is now in hiding.

That \$3,000,000 has been spent by the German government in fomenting spy plots in the United States within the last few months.

That "thousands" of German spies are now engaged in different parts of the country formulating and furthering conspiracies.

That the spy system is headed by an agent of the Kaiser's government referred to as the "master spy," who is still at large.

That Berlin, in spite of many arrests and numerous spoiled plots, is apparently satisfied with the results accomplished.

"There is ample evidence to prove that there is a spy master of the German government in this country directing the activities of the various groups of tools," said a high government official this afternoon.

"He is the hub in the intricate intrigue and his agents, numbering thousands, are the spokes. Before von Igel left this country each of these agents received a considerable cash appropriation varying in amount according to the importance of the agent and the work mapped out for him. It has been ascertained that the amount known to have been spent to date has been a little in excess of \$3,000,000."

Furthermore, the government official quoted above asserted, a "streak of German" has been found in many of the peace societies and pacifist organizations which the authorities have investigated since the work of the Kaiser's secret agents began to assume such a menacing scope.

Assistant U. S. District Attorney Knox spent the greater part of the day with Captain William M. O'Leary, head of the federal bureau of investigation, studying the papers seized in von Igel's office. Those papers that have to do with the cases against Sakunna and the Bengalee will be laid before a federal grand jury tomorrow.

Knox announced today that he is preparing to bring Representatives Buchanan of Illinois, Robert Fowler, Henry B. Martin and others indicted last year on charges of conspiring to foment strikes in munitions plants to trial at an early date.

Fritz Kolb and Hans Schwartz, alleged German bomb plotters, were held for the grand jury without bail today when arraigned in the Hebeoken police court. A specific charge of unlawful possession of bombs was entered against them.

The men told the court through their attorneys that they were ready to admit the possession of the bombs.

Where is John S. Burns?

It will be seen by a notice in the want column that information is wanted as to the whereabouts of John S. Burns who formerly conducted a drug store on Broadway opposite the cigar factory. Mr. Burns was a witness to a will which has been filed in the surrogate's court and Brinnier & Canfield who are the attorneys representing the estate, desired to ascertain where he is in order that the will may be proven.

**DIED.**

**COUCHMAN**—In this city, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Andrew N. Barnes, No. 254 Albany Ave., March 7, 1917, Elizabeth Willis, wife of the late Elisha H. Couchman.

Funeral private. Interment at Catskill, N. Y.

**DERMOODY**—In this city, March 6, 1917, Mrs. Honor Dermody, widow of the late Patrick Dermody.

Funeral from her late residence, 43 Jansen avenue, Friday morning at 9 o'clock, from St. Mary's church at 9:30 o'clock, where a high mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

**HAMBURGER**—In this city, Monday evening, March 5, 1917, Urban Hamburger, aged 74 years.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his late home, 249 West Chestnut street, on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock and at 10:30 at St. Mary's church.

## "CERTIFICATE" CONCERN MOVES

Local buyers of the "Certificates" of the Stanley & MacGibbons Co., Inc., which calls itself "The Mail Order House of the Empire State," have received circular letters from that concern which read as follows:

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**One Kingstonian's Experience.**

One Kingstonian, whose family had agreed to buy a "certificate," visited the store at No. 35 East Broadway, which has been advertised by the company as part of its headquarters. This customer says:

"Upon entering the store at 35 East Broadway, I asked whether there was such a concern in the building. The man seemed stunned at what I asked and left me standing while he consulted with several other men. One man sent the other, and none of them were anxious to speak with me. Eventually one of them got courage enough and told me to go to their office at 1 Madison avenue. I said I was going to the train, so had no time."

"Then he went into a back room and came out after about 15 minutes and said if I cared to leave the order with him he would send to the factory for anything I wanted. I said I would let him know and I must say he seemed greatly relieved when I bid him good-bye."

**Dr. Cady's Installation.**

The Rev. Putnam Cady, D. D., will be installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church on Elmendorf street at 7:45 tonight. The service will be conducted by the North River Presbytery and will be open to the public. The following is the program:

Organ Prelude.  
Hymn 651.  
Violin Solo—"Simple Confession."

—Thome  
Master Earle Meyer Hummel.  
Scripture Lesson—Romans 12.

Solo—Gordon Burhans.  
Sermon—The Rev. Frederick E. Stockwell, D. D., pastor First Presbyterian Church, Newburgh.

Antiphon—"I Will Be Down to Peace."  
—Stearne

By the Quorum.  
Constitutional Questions—The Rev. Alexander Allison, D. D., Moderator.

Prayer.  
Installation Hymn—No. 711.

Charge to the pastor—The Rev. Alexander Allison, D. D., pastor Presbyterian Church, Cold Spring.

Charge to the people—The Rev. Frederick J. Stanley, D. D. L. H. D., Newburgh, N. Y.

Hymn 712.  
Benediction by the pastor.

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## DAME FASHION TO ENTERTAIN

For Benefit of Three Local Charities—Noted Musicians to Give Benefit Program on Two Afternoons.

The L. B. Van Wageningen Company invites the men and women of Kingston to attend the most remarkable exhibition of its kind ever presented in the Hudson valley, at the Kingston Opera House on the afternoons of Wednesday and Thursday next, March 14 and 15.

At that time, Dame Fashion will entertain her many modish friends, and Kingston musicians of note far and of their own city, will give a selected program, all for the benefit of the Kingston City Hospital, the Benedictine Sanitarium and the Y. M. C. A.

In addition to the fascinating spectacle presented by the most stylish costumes of Dame Fashion and her guests, T. H. Richards, of the Van Wageningen organization, will professionally arrange a charming plot and coach the performers, thereby assuring the audience of amusement in addition to the fashion show.

Muller's orchestra will furnish appropriate music throughout the entire performance, and during the final scene, a program of remarkably fine music, which will attract all music lovers of the city, will be given by Kingston soloists, who entering into the spirit of the Van Wageningen management will donate their services for the benefit of the above named organizations. At both afternoon performances, when the tickets will be twenty-five cents, the entire proceeds will be equally divided between the three organizations doing so much for the good and the uplift of the community. Special announcement will appear in tomorrow's Freeman relative to an evening performance for which many requests have been made, and giving in full the musical program.

The novel, clever and most attractive entertainment, displaying the very last word from the world of fashion, will be somewhat as follows: Dame Fashion will first chaperone a house party on the grounds of her estate, adjoining the "Bachelor Girls' Club House," at the tennis courts, the golf links and the yacht club. Later she will serve afternoon tea to friends from near-by estates. Still later in the day, Dame Fashion, her guests and those from the club house will leave for a shopping tour in town. "The Man of the Hour" will play an amusing and interesting part in these scenes.

The last half of the program will include the receiving of a bridal party by Dame Fashion, and following the reception, the hostess will entertain her guests and the audience with the musical program mentioned above.

It will be a noteworthy fact that Dame Fashion, herself, her guests, both nearby and those from abroad, and the guests at the club house, will all be appraised in American costumes of the most artistic design. Furthermore the musicians will be Americans and nothing could be more thoroughly American than the beneficiaries of this delightful affair, two hospitals containing charity wards, and the local Y. M. C. A.

Attendance upon this unique entertainment will mean both opportunity to view the very latest fashions of Dame Fashion, worn by a score or more of Kingston's most charming young ladies, and that of aiding these local philanthropic organizations.

**Sugar From Wood.**

Now there's making sugar out of wood. Chemists have found that they can take a ton of sawdust and get a quarter of a ton of sugar out of it.

The process consists of putting the sawdust into a closed retort and subjecting it to digestion with a weak solution of sulphurous acid under a pressure of from ninety to one hundred pounds to the square inch. Eighty per cent of the sugar thus obtained is fermentable. The product is called "sacchulose."

**How Spain Got Name.**

Spain, etymologically, means Rabbit Peninsula. The word is, according to good authority, derived from the Punic Shafan-rabbit. This animal has been very numerous in the country, often destroying whole crops. African ferrets were kept to drive the animals out of their holes. We find the rabbit often represented on old Spanish coins.

**Copper in Ancient Days.**

Copper, among the ancient Hebrews, was used in making helmets, spears and other implements of war. The expression "bow of steel," found in Job, should be rendered "bow of copper."

Copper could not have been applied to these uses without the artisans possessing some forgotten secret for rendering the metal harder and more elastic than we can make it today.

**Tracing Organ Mechanism.**

When pneumatic power in the construction of the organ began to take the place of the hydraulic is uncertain, although the invention of the bellows mechanism dates from the time of one of the later Roman emperors—probably Julian. But it was only in the tenth century, when Germany had taken the place of Constantinople as the center of organ building, that the bellows mechanism came into general adoption.

## SCUDDER CHARGES DISMISSED BY COURT

The appellate division of the supreme court for the third department at Albany today handed down a decision reversing the judgment of Griffin Corners, dismissing the indictment against him and ordering his bail bond cancelled.

Scudder was convicted in June of last year in the Delaware county court at Delhi of grand larceny in the first degree, and was sentenced to imprisonment for one year and six months.

The indictment of Scudder followed the clash among stockholders of the First National Bank of Griffin Corners for control of the bank management at the annual meeting a year ago. Scudder was endorsed on several notes and to secure his endorsement five shares of bank stock held by Harold O. Judd were assigned to him as collateral security.

When the bank pressed Scudder for payment of the note, he came to Kingston and visited Judd, who was in a local sanitarium, and he claims that Judd directed him to sell the stock and apply the proceeds on the note. Scudder transferred the stock to Fred D. Cure, who was employed in the bank, his father, U. S. Grant Cure of Pine Hill, agreeing to pay for it. On the day the transfer was made, Judd raised the money and paid the note on which Scudder was endorsed. He immediately demanded the return of the stock certificate held by Scudder, which he claims the latter agreed to return on the following Monday. The certificate was never returned to Judd, and a motion is now pending before Judge Hasbrouck in a civil proceeding brought by Albert A. Halpern, to whom Judd assigned his interest, to prevent the stock from being voted.

The Delaware county grand jury returned indictments against Scudder, Fred D. Cure and Augustus H. Todd, who was also connected with the transaction. Scudder was tried and convicted; the indictments against Fred D. Cure and Augustus H. Todd were held pending the outcome of the appeal taken by Scudder.

Scudder was defended by Alexander Nish of Walton, Delaware county, with County Attorney John W. Eckert of this city, of counsel; the prosecution was conducted by District Attorney Hamilton Hewitt of Delaware county, with Charles O'Connor of Hobart, of counsel.

**SOCIETY NOTES.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Boice of 59 Lafayette avenue, were pleasantly surprised on Monday evening, in honor of their twenty-second anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Budd, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brower, Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols, Mrs. Bernard Hamilton, Mrs. Harriet Flowers, Misses Jane Embree, Ethel Budd, Jennie Martine, Katherine Everett, Lillian Every, Theresa Nichols, Grace Hoyer, Edna Boice and Messrs. Milton Budd and David Kichtmyer. After refreshments were served, the evening was spent with games and music. At a late hour, the guests departed, stating that they had spent a very enjoyable evening.

**Dean-Loughlin.**

A pretty home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buley of 100 Downs street on Tuesday afternoon when their sister, Josephine Loughlin, became the bride of Raymond Arthur Dean of New York city. The bride was daintily gowned in embroidered pearl silk and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. The house decorations were pink and white carnations. After a trip south Mr. and Mrs. Dean will make their home in New York city.

**Kingston Symphony Orchestra.**

The Kingston Symphony Orchestra is now ready to announce to the Kingston musical public and the school children of Kingston, that it will give its first orchestral concert of the season at the high school auditorium on Saturday, March 31. The soloist will be the renowned Hans Kronold, violoncellist, of New York city. The concert will be preceded by the public rehearsal in the afternoon for the benefit of the school children and at the usual price of admission. For this concert the "associate membership" list will be suspended. Patrons and subscribers' tickets will be ready today.

**Lowell Club.**

The Lowell Club met with Mrs. Van Buren at her home on Washington avenue on Tuesday afternoon. The roll call was "Cities of Scotland," and was followed by an interesting and informing paper on "Scottish Industries," presented by Mrs. Devo. Mrs. Teller gave a sketch, "Interesting Scottish Islands," and Mrs. Van Leuwen and Mrs. Martin gave the following readings, respectively, "Famous Light-houses," and "Bruce and the Spider." Music for the afternoon consisted of an appropriate piano solo by Mrs. Van Buren, with several delightful vocal solos—Scottish songs—sung by Miss Ruth Vignes, accompanied by Mrs. Van Buren. On the urgent request of the club members, Mrs. Hale gave a most interesting and entertaining account of her recent trip to Florida. Next week the club will meet with Mrs. T. D. Lewis at her home on Pearl street.

**Olympian Club.**

The Olympian Club met on Monday evening with Miss Inez Smith. Miss Parkhurst had the first paper of the evening's program, the subject being "Metal Work." Metals were classified according to their usefulness as important and subordinate. Among the important metals, iron was said to be of the greatest value at the present time. It was shown that those things which are useful, yet cheap and abundant, are more valuable to civilization than those which are dearer, as, for instance, and among the metals, iron. Aluminum was given the highest rank among the subordinate metals at present. It was described as the only metal contained in rocks in illimitable amounts, although its extraction from the ore called bauxite is difficult and expensive. The use of aluminum is very wide spread. The necessity for the conservation of metals was noted, as the covering of iron with another metal or paint; the saving of scrap iron for use again. Attention was also called to the use in the greater part of this country of gold certificates in place of the actual gold metal. This interesting paper was followed by another of equal interest on "Glass Work," presented by Miss Florence Finn. The various theories regarding the origin of glass were noted. One theory dated back to the time of

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The Children of Israel. A very interesting and informing description of the manufacture of glass, the composition, the work shops where made, etc., was also given. Attention was called to the many kinds of glass, and mention was made of the historical glass ware. Further mention was made of Venetian, Bohemian and English glass ware. These two illuminating papers were followed by a reading, selection from "Marlitta, Maid of Venice," by F. Marlan Crawford, given by Miss White.

**FOR YOUNG FOLKS**

Sleepy Time Story Concerning a Very Vain Little Bird.

HOW MISFORTUNE CAME TO IT

Member of a Large Family Became Proud Because It Thought Itself Smart—A Fateful Jump in the Barnyard—Pride Is Humbled.

Why, it is nearly dark, said Uncle Ben to little Ned and Polly Ann. I believe I will tell you a story about

**THE SMART CHICKEN.**

Once on a time there was a nice family of chickens living in a nice chicken yard in a charming town, and the chickens belonged to a dear little girl named Milly.

Milly was very fond of the chickens. She had given all of them nice names. I can't remember all the names, but there were Flossie and Fluffie and Tipple and Toppie and many others.

One of the others was Smokie. He was given that name because he looked so much like the gray smoke that came out of the kitchen chimney.

Smokie was really quite a pretty little chicken, and Milly gave him a great deal of petting. Perhaps that turned his head. He became a very vain little chicken. If Milly came out to the chicken yard and did not notice him he was much displeased.

So to make sure she would notice him Smokie, when his little wings would bear him, hopped up on the roof of one of the colony houses. When that didn't attract Milly's attention Smokie would flutter up on the fence.

"You'd best be careful," Mother Hen said, for Smokie had a reckless way of fluttering down from his perch.

Smokie tossed his little head. He thought he was quite able to take care of himself.

One day Milly came out to the chicken yard with a big pan of yellow looking stuff. She set it down on the ground and called the chicks to her.

Smokie must have been taking a nap on the fence, for he hadn't noticed her come in.

When she called: "Chick, chick, chick! Come, chick, chick, chick!" he turned and almost tumbled off the fence. Then he made a dive and landed right in the midst of the pan of yellow stuff.

It was cornmeal mush, which Milly had brought out nice and warm. Smokie landed right in the middle of it, and the more he tried to get out the more trouble he had, for it was very sticky.

Milly picked him out with a mush in his wings and in his feathers.

"Oh, dear! Now you'll have to have a bath!" cried Milly.

So she took him into the house and washed him in warm water, and Smokie felt so queer and had to sit in the basket by the fire until he was dry. The next time Smokie will watch where he jumps.

**Riddle.**

Nine times my value is not a cent, be sure. Yet he who owns me certainly is not poor. I give to all their daily bread, and though I'm in a race And driven by wind and water, yet I never leave my place.

Answer.—A mill.

**Prepared For a Spin.**

The smiling young miss in the picture is evidently pleased with herself and everybody else. And there is good reason why she should be. Ample

clothed for cold weather and with skates on her feet, she feels there is a fine afternoon ahead. Skaters are proverbially good humored, for this splendid exercise in the open air is one of the most joyous and healthful of sports

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The Children of Israel. A very interesting and informing description of the manufacture of glass, the composition, the work shops where made, etc., was also given. Attention was called to the many kinds of glass, and mention was made of the historical glass ware. Further mention was made of Venetian, Bohemian and English glass ware. These two illuminating papers were followed by a reading, selection from "Marlitta, Maid of Venice," by F. Marlan Crawford, given by Miss White.

**FOR YOUNG FOLKS**

Sleepy Time Story Concerning a Very Vain Little Bird.

HOW MISFORTUNE CAME TO IT

Member of a Large Family Became Proud Because It Thought Itself Smart—A Fateful Jump in the Barnyard—Pride Is Humbled.

Why, it is nearly dark, said Uncle Ben to little Ned and Polly Ann. I believe I will tell you a story about

**THE SMART CHICKEN.**

Once on a time there was a nice family of chickens living in a nice chicken yard in a charming town, and the chickens belonged to a dear little girl named Milly.

Milly was very fond of the chickens. She had given all of them nice names. I can't remember all the names, but there were Flossie and Fluffie and Tipple and Toppie and many others.

One of the others was Smokie. He was given that name because he looked so much like the gray smoke that came out of the kitchen chimney.

Smokie was really quite a pretty little chicken, and Milly gave him a great deal of petting. Perhaps that turned his head. He became a very vain little chicken. If Milly came out to the chicken yard and did not notice him he was much displeased.

So to make sure she would notice him Smokie, when his little wings would bear him, hopped up on the roof of one of the colony houses. When that didn't attract Milly's attention Smokie would flutter up on the fence.

"You'd best be careful," Mother Hen said, for Smokie had a reckless way of fluttering down from his perch.

Smokie tossed his little head. He thought he was quite able to take care of himself.

One day Milly came out to the chicken yard with a big pan of yellow looking stuff. She set it down on the ground and called the chicks to her.

Smokie must have been taking a nap on the fence, for he hadn't noticed her come in.

When she called: "Chick, chick, chick! Come, chick, chick, chick!" he turned and almost tumbled off the fence. Then he made a dive and landed right in the midst of the pan of yellow stuff.

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## LOST.

LOST—Nickel plated rim and lens of automobile. Headlight. Please return to Central Garage.

LOST—Tire chain. Leave at Dwyer's store, Strand.

LOST—At Lake Katrine. Grange Hall. Small black pocketbook. Reward. Upon return to Freeman.

LOST—Hand bag. Monday morning. containing bills and change. Notify 1129 R. Street.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New and second hand stoves and ranges. Second hand furniture. Complete set of new stoves. 1129 R. Street. Phone 1029.

FOR SALE—Good as new. Newer kitchen cabinet. Reasonable. Apply 65 Liberty St.

FOR SALE—Salt hay and straw. Damaged by fire. Cheap. Edw. T. McGinn.

START CHICKS RIGHT—The first three weeks give Pratts Baby Chick Food. Strong, healthy chicks guaranteed or your money back. Morris Kaplan, 350 Broadway. Tel. 1129 R. Street.

FOR SALE—House, eight rooms, part improvements. Slight improvements. Reasonable. 1129 R. Street. Phone 1029.

FOR SALE—Must be sold at once. 3000 sq. ft. plan, mahogany case, new. \$295. 1129 R. Street. Phone 1029.

FOR SALE—Brussels pool and billiard table. Phone 1029 R. Street.

FOR SALE—Incubators, brooders and poultry supplies. Canfield Supply Co. 350 Broadway. Tel. 1129 R. Street.

FOR SALE—100 White Leghorns. 25 White Hacks. Selected stock. Phone 1129 R. Street.

FOR SALE—Fruit and nut trees. Farm of about 11 acres. Within city limits. Geo. Van Giesbeck, 211 Clifton Ave.

FOR SALE—Overland roadster. cost \$1150. nearly new tires, extra new floor and rim. Call Nick's Garage, 28 St. James St.

FOR SALE—Team bay horses. very suitable for farm work. Gregory & Co.

FOR SALE—Team of mules. Inquire Striker Youmans Garage.

FOR SALE—1915 Indian twin motorcycle. speed, electric, new engine, search light, basket, etc. \$250. Address "W. R." on Freeman.

FOR SALE—All the popular Victor records. W. H. Rider's piano store.

FOR SALE—Well known lunch room and restaurant. downtown section. established 9 years. will be sold agreeable to purchaser. Address "Restaurant." Upon Freeman.

FOR SALE—Brand new \$250 piano. Special at \$195. Easy terms. Reichard Music Co., 273 Fair St.

FOR SALE—58 note player piano. all the latest improvements. Value \$500. special at \$310. Reichard Music Co., 273 Fair St.

FOR SALE—House, ten rooms; part improvements. fine location. DuBois & McCausland, 23 Broadway.

FOR SALE—1916 7-passenger Studebaker. like new. for sale cheap. Striker Youmans Garage.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—House, 115 Clifton St. All improvements. F. J. Walter.

FOR SALE—Square piano; cheap. Phone 1129 R. Street.

FOR SALE—Automobile (truck); also runabout. Prestolite tank. 20 5/8 gallon tank. see them at garage. 221 Jones St.

FOR SALE—5 passenger Studebaker. run 4000 miles. A. L. Harder, Lake Katrine.

FOR SALE—Salt hay. Edw. T. McGinn, 100 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Photo supplies, film, plates, cameras, printing paper, etc. O'Reilly's, 100 Broadway.

TO LET—Two room flat with all improvements, and one garage. 115 Abel St.

TO LET—House, 60 Clifton Ave. Inquire Reichard & Canfield, 35 John St.

TO LET—House, 87 West Chester St. Inquire A. Rehler.

TO LET—A room house and garden, 40 Hurley Ave. Phone 1029 R. Street. Inquire A. Rehler.

TO LET—House, 142 Main St. All improvements. C. F. Gray.

TO LET—Flat, uptown. Apply N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET—Store. F. Meyer, 237 Hasbrouck Ave.

TO LET—Eight room house, water in kitchen, good well, large garden, near station. beautiful mountain view. Jas. J. Gaddis, Lake Katrine.

TO LET—10 Cedar St., \$10. Inquire 14 Cedar St.

TO LET—Four nice offices, in Burgevin building. Fair and Main Sts.

TO LET—3 rooms, first floor, all improvements. Phone 1117.

TO LET—Flat, 100 Henry St. Apply Clifton Ave.

TO LET—Apartments, 215 Delaware Ave., near John N. Cordts.

TO LET—Store and office at 208 Wall St. Inquire 222-224 Fair St. Store. Near John N. Cordts.

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EVENTS  
THIS EVENING.

Howe's travel festival, at Kingston Opera House.

"The Fortunes of Fifi," photoplay at Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

"Youth's Endearing Charm" photoplay at Orpheum.

## One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

## FEMALE HELP WANTED.

POSITIONS ARE OPEN AT MILLER'S SHIRT FACTORY FOR GIRLS TO OPERATE POWER SEWING MACHINES. EXPERIENCE NOT ESSENTIAL. AS GOOD WAGES ARE ASSURED WHILE LEARNING. PINE GROVE AVE. FACTORY, PINE GROVE AVE.

WANTED—General housework. middle-aged preferred. 179 Henry St.

POSITIONS ARE OPEN FOR GIRLS TO OPERATE POWER SEWING MACHINES. NO EXPERIENCE. GOOD WAGES. PAID WHILE LEARNING. WE HAVE THE MOST MODERN AND UP-TO-DATE FACTORY IN KINGSTON. P. JACOBSON & SONS SEWING MACHINE CO., 1129 R. STREET, KINGSTON.

WANTED—Experienced examiner, steady work. call at 42 Thomas St. Phone 1409.

WANTED—Experienced settled white woman for general housework; no washing; good wages. References. 19 Green St.

WANTED—Maid for general housework. 11 Pearl St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages; references. Mrs. Wm. C. Kingston, 165 Highland Ave.

WANTED—Experienced millinery salesladies. Apply The Parls, 316 Wall St.

WANTED—50 operators; a chance of making the same as already employed hands; as well as \$20 per week. Apply at once. J. Davis, 620 Broadway.

WANTED—Girls to operate machines on all parts of shirts; steady work; good pay. Learners taken. Apply Columbia St. O'Neill St.

OPERATORS WANTED; BEGINNERS. AID WHITE LEARNING. GREENKILL AVE.

## FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 72 Cedar St.

LARGE, well heated rooms; table board. Sherwood Lodge, 317 Clifton Ave.

LARGE ROOM, with board. 150 Fair St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—2 Night housekeeping apartments, heated; uptown section. Call 1117.

FURNISHED ROOMS—112 Hone St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—35 Hoffman St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—102 Hone St.

FURNISHED ROOMS, with board, 20 Adams St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—Single or housekeeping. 320 1/2 Wall St.

## MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Experienced steam shovel operator. References. Call 104 R. Street.

WANTED—Boy, Miller, Aikenhead Co., Inc., Greenkill Ave.

WANTED—Married man to work on fruit farm; good wages, home and garden; state age, size of family and reference. F. W. Vail and Son, Milton, N. Y.

WANTED—Second-hand who understands burning brick; good wages. Geo. W. Washburn Co., Catskill, N. Y.

## WANTED.

WANTED—Your Sims for developing and printing; 24 hour service. E. Winter's Sons, John St.

MONEY to loan—liberal terms. Home-Seekers Co-operative Savings & Loan Association, 23 Broadway.

WANTED—Information as to the whereabouts of John S. Burns, formerly drugist of this city. Brinnier & Canfield, 53 John St.

SUNNY, pleasant room, with or without board. 14 Warren St.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ROLLERS AND BUNCHMAKERS, AND GIRLS. \$4.00 PER WEEK PAID WHILE LEARNING. LAST YEAR OUR EMPLOYEES SAVED OVER \$14,000. G. W. VAN SLICK & HORTON.

WANTED—Cook. United States Hotel, 35 Broadway.

WANTED—Your developing and printing. Prompt 24 hour service. Satisfaction guaranteed. O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway.

WANTED—Help. Ullster Employment Agency, 330 Clifton Ave. Phone 1224 R. Street.

WANTED—To rent, small modern house, from May 1st. Phone 196-W.

WANTED—Competent help for various departments of our summer hotel; good wages, long season. Address Mt. Meadnaga, Ellenville, New York.

WANTED—Camp or bungalow along the Hudson river front, for summer. Box 613, Kingston Post Office.

WANTED—Painting and paper hanging. Will do outside work. Reasonable prices. Use best material. Eregman Bros., 51 Moore St. Phone 411-W.

WANTED—To buy, second hand clothing. Phone 1014-W.

## POSITION WANTED.

FIRST CLASS cook wants position; day or week. "J. R. S." Freeman.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

PIANOS tuned and repaired; terms reasonable. Martha, 150 Prospect St. Phone 1847-W.

HIGHEST price paid for light and second hand clothes. Phone 174-M.

PIANOS and player pianos tuned and repaired. Expert work. Reichard Music Co., 273 Fair St. Phone 1272.

FOR RENT—Peck's 1917 limousine; day and night taxiab service. Phone 1161.

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts. Commercial, Stenographic, English, Day and Night. Experienced Instructors. Graduates in Demand. ENTER NOW.

FURNITURE storage. Mouse-proof, sanitary, fire-proof. Freehold. C. W. Wickersham, Kingston. Phone 1133-J, or Brown Auto Supply Co. Phone 1068.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P. Carr. Phone 1178-J, 6-73.

## ADVERTISEMENT WRITING.

UNWISE advertising economy is an acquired habit with many merchants, like olives and moving pictures, but when the habit is continued—certainly. They seem to believe that each time they backjack a dollar and lay it away on ice, withdrawing it from their advertising expenditures, they have done wisely. Really, such business men are short-changing themselves. Well written advertisements are business getters. The other kind won't do at all. Let me write you ads, with "pep and punch." George M. Zellmer, care of Kingston Freeman.

"CHANDLER DAY"  
A ROTARY WHIRL

Major Chandler Gives Fellow Members of Organization Some First-hand Information About the Mexican Border and Military Conditions in This Fair Land of Ours.

Major George F. Chandler, soldier, surgeon and man of parts and peace, jarred the consciousness of some thirty odd members of the Kingston Rotary Club at the weekly luncheon today when he told some plain truths about conditions on the Mexican border and something of the status of the military arm of the national defense. This was the first gathering of the club since the return of its distinguished member from duty and the grill room of the West Shore hotel today when he told some plain truths about conditions on the Mexican border and something of the status of the military arm of the national defense. This was the first gathering of the club since the return of its distinguished member from duty and the grill room of the West Shore hotel today when he told some plain truths about conditions on the Mexican border and something of the status of the military arm of the national defense. 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## THURSDAY--FRIDAY--FISH

Pickarel	<b>12 1/2 lb.</b>	Halibut, Whitefish, Salmon, Eels, Trout, Cod, Pollock, Mackerel, Sea Trout.
Ciscoes		
Haddock		
Tile Steaks		
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RIB ROAST Beef, lb. 18c <small>Cut from Best Beef</small>	Cut from Best Steer Beef <b>STEAKS</b>	FRESH CHOPS Pork, lb. 22c No Rind
ROUND ROAST Beef, lb. 20c Solid Meat	Porterhouse Sirloin Round lb.	BEST CHOPS Lamb, lb. 22c Rib or Loin
FANCY CHEESE Camembert Roquefort Limburger Cream American	<b>20c</b> Worth 30c lb. See These Steaks.	Worth 18c tin JERSEY <b>PEARS</b> tin. <b>15c</b>

Best White Potatoes, 1-2 peck 39c

Best Creamery Butter, 2 lbs. - 86c

Fresh Made Renovated Butter, lb. - 37c

BUTTERINE, PREMIUM, 4 lbs. ....90c LLOY, 3 lbs. ....80c LINCOLN, 3 lbs. ....55c <small>Use Lincoln for cooking, etc.</small>	Vegetables
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Fancy Florida Oranges, dz. 35-30-25-20c

RICE 4 lbs. ....25c 3 lbs. ....20c	Flour going higher. 1-8 bbl. sack. Flour, \$1.25
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Canned Vegetables PEAS, tin. ....15c  
CORN, tin. ....15c  
TOMATOES, tin. ....15c

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Ceylon and English Breakfast Tea, lb. 35c

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**"The Hidden Hand"**

## WILSON DECIDES TO ARM SHIPS

By Telegram to The Freeman.  
Washington, March 7.—American merchant ships are to be armed by the United States government and sent on their voyages to the ports of the seven seas regardless of submarines, "barred zones," and other obstacles which the war has placed in the path of American commerce.

President Wilson definitely decided on this step today. Fortified with the opinion of the attorney general that he has the authority to make such a move, with the approval of administration supporters in Congress and the legal advisors of the government, the president is convinced that he is acting within his rights even though the Congressional approval which he sought before the death of the sixteenth congress was withheld.

The president called to the White House this morning six Democratic senators who have been active in behalf of administration measures—Owen of Oklahoma, Walsh of Montana, Swanson of Virginia, Smith of Georgia, Reed of Missouri and James of Kentucky—and informed them of his decision. He also took up with them and approved the proposition of changing the Senate rules toward a modified form of cloture which will hereafter prevent any "little group of wilful men" from holding up legislation vitally affecting the nation.

With the president's decision to arm merchant vessels, the break with Austria, which looked to be temporarily averted by the conciliatory tone of the latest Austrian note, again becomes imminent. The Austrian government lately stated that it considered the arming of American merchant vessels in direct contradiction to international law, and declared in effect that its submarines would feel at liberty to sink them. Should it do this, a diplomatic break could not be averted.

Following the White House conference with the senators, Secretary of State Lansing was summoned to the executive mansion and remained closeted with the president for almost an hour. The two caressed the situation thoroughly. Every possibility which the move may bring was gone over.

**SAUGERTIES.**  
Saugerties, March 7.—Miss Sadie MacLane is ill at her home on Jane street.

The regular annual ball given by members of Ulster and Confidence Lodges of Odd Fellows was held on Tuesday evening in Columbus Hall. As usual a large number participated. Martin's orchestra of eight pieces furnished the music for dancing.

The Monday Club met with Mrs. H. T. Keeney Monday afternoon. Mrs. John Snyder read an article on "How Uruguay Became Independent." Mrs. Brown gave an address on Paraguay and its people. Mrs. Turrentine read an article written by Bishop Stuntz on the religious life of South America. Miss Frances Keeney rendered a selection on the harp. The club will meet with Mrs. V. P. Overbaugh on Main street March 12.

Mrs. Margaret Gough, an aged resident of Malden, town of Saugerties, died at her home Tuesday morning in the 90th year of her age. A daughter, Mrs. Emma Locke, of New York city, and a son, John Gough, of Malden survive her. The funeral will be held from her late home on Thursday afternoon. Interment in Mountain View cemetery.

Smith Wland of Wappingers Falls is spending a few days in town.

William Kearney of Ohio is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Louis Payette, on Ulster avenue.

The Rev. Father McCann of New York city will preach the Lenten sermon in St. Mary's Church this evening.

No Guards at This "Pen."

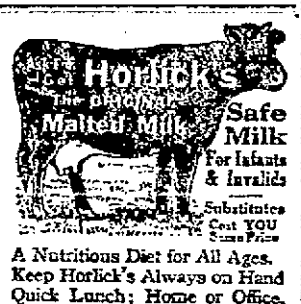
One of the novel features about the new Westchester county penitentiary in East View, which opens next week under direction of Everett Macy, is that it will have no guards. It will have instructors, who will keep track of the inmates. But there will be no guards, strictly speaking, such as the keepers of Sing Sing, Blackwell's Island and other penal institutions, whose only duty is to keep prisoners confined and in order. Calvin Derrick, formerly warden of Sing Sing, is to assist Mr. Macy.

Improvements at Woodcrest Farm.

The Woodcrest Farm have just installed in their pump house a New Way air cooled gasoline engine, which was purchased from the Canfield Supply Company.

In Appreciation.

"The S. R. Deyo Company wish to express their thanks and appreciation to the firemen for their excellent work at the fire Sunday night.—Advertisement.



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**ULSTER COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**  
Kingston, N. Y., March 7th, 1917.  
Notice is hereby given that a grand jury will be sworn at this office on Saturday, March 10th, 1917, at 10 a. m., to serve at a term of court to be held in and for the county of Ulster on the 22nd day of April, 1917.  
C. K. LOUGHRAN, CLERK.

## How a Debt Was Collected

By WILLIAM CHANDLER

Among the strange people in the world the strangest to me are those who consider it their duty to give largely, but who in transactions of a business nature are inordinately mean.

Such characters are common among rich men, whose motive usually is to make something, even out of their donations—men who don't hide their light under a bushel. But Miss Euphemia Baxter was not at all such a person. Few knew of her charities. She supported an old woman for years who had been an intimate friend of her mother's. At the same time she beat her laundress down to starvation prices. She lived in a hall bedroom herself and spent a lot of money fixing up a home for an invalid aunt. It was the furniture to go into this home that I sold Miss Baxter.

Falling in sending out my regular collector, I thought I would try a woman. She came away after a tongue skirmish that decided her never to undertake such a task again.

I had a salesman, Frank Emery, in my employ, a good looking young fellow with one of the pleasantest smiles I ever saw on a man's face. Where other persons would scowl he would smile. He was invaluable as a salesman, especially since most of my customers were women. One of the other clerks used to say of him, "One of Frank's smiles sells a washstand, another sells a bureau, and when he shows his side grinders it means a whole bedroom set."

One day Frank said to me, "Mr. Ruggles, what'll you give me if I collect your debt from Miss Baxter?"

"I don't think any one can collect it, Frank," I replied. "I fancy the lady went in debt for it and has never been able to stop giving long enough to accumulate the amount of the bill. You can't squeeze blood out of a turnip."

"I'll tell you what I'll do, Mr. Ruggles. I didn't have any vacation last summer. The dull season is on now, and you can best spare me. Give me a few weeks' vacation and I'll see if I can get your money."

I acceded to his terms and, giving him a statement of the account—\$142—sent him off to collect the debt in any way he might be able. The boys said that he'd get it in installments, giving a smile for each installment.

Three weeks passed before I heard a word from my collector. Then one day he came into the store, smiled and handed me the amount of Miss Baxter's indebtedness. I asked him how he had managed it, but he did not seem inclined to tell me. Indeed, he looked rather serious about it. This surprised me, for I had never known him to look serious about anything. But I got the story out of him piece-meal.

He had gone to Miss Baxter and told her he had heard that she was a kind-hearted person. Would she kindly interest herself to get him employment? He was hungry and shabby (he wore a cast-off suit), and he was not very strong. He could not do manual labor.

Quite likely it was the smile that did the business. Miss Baxter gave him the wherewithal to get something to eat while she was hunting a job for him. He put away the money, and she found plenty of jobs. But either they required too much strength or Frank was especially unfitted for them. He kept accepting donations from day to day, the lady buying hard work to induce him to do so and only under promise that he should be permitted to return them as soon as she found a position for him. He very soon cleaned her out of all the ready money she possessed, after which she began to sacrifice what few valuables she owned, finally pawning her winter coat, which she greatly needed.

I declined to take money achieved in this way, which appeared to be a great relief to Frank. Having started out to collect the debt in his own peculiar way, he was bound to follow the matter to the bitter end. He managed to preserve his equanimity till the lady gave up her winter coat for his benefit. That broke him up. I told him to return the money to Miss Baxter. He said that could only be done in some roundabout manner, but it would be done.

Before the next season opened one of my competitors offered Frank better pay than I was giving him, and I was obliged to double his salary. Instead of giving me a single smile when I told him of the raise, smiles seemed to bubble out all over him.

"It's not on my own account alone, Mr. Ruggles," he said, "that I rejoice. I am engaged, and this raise enables me to marry."

"Who is the lady, Frank?" I asked. "Miss Euphemia Baxter."

"Great Scott!" I exclaimed. "You don't mean it?"

"I do. The truth is that while I was getting money out of her to pay her debt to you I was getting sweet on her. At last, instead of trying to collect the debt, I was testing her to see how far she would sacrifice herself for me."

"Have you confessed that you were deceiving her?"

"You bet I haven't, and I never will. I've got the money she gave me yet. I'm trying to find a way to give it to her to help her with the trousers."

"Hope you'll succeed. Make out a list of articles you'll need to furnish a house and they shall be my wedding gift."

**"Major" Diamond Bankrupt.**

Hugh F. Diamond, who conducted a cigar, candy and news store at No. 626 Broadway, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court for the Southern district of New York on Tuesday. His liabilities are \$2,000 and assets are \$125.



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HEAD OF SUFFRAGE PARADE

HEAD OF SUFFRAGE INAUGURAL PARADE.

These are the women who led the little band of ardent suffragists in a parade around the White House on March 4, despite the usual inauguration weather. Left to right they are: Mrs. J. A. Hopkins of Morristown, N. J.; Mrs. Mary Patterson, Mrs. William Kent, Miss Ann Martin, Mrs. Mary Russell and Mrs. Florence Hills.



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1917.

Sun rises, 6:25; sets, 5:59.  
Weather, clear. Humidity 33 to 46.

## The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman thermometer last night was 16 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 35 degrees.

## Weather Forecast.

Washington, March 7.—Cloudy tonight and Thursday; probably rain; warmer; moderate to fresh southeast to south winds.

## Church of the Holy Spirit.

At the Church of the Holy Spirit, Wurts street, the Rev. John James Bott, rector, there will be Wednesday evening service at 7:30 o'clock, with special music and sermon by the Rev. J. L. Blair Larned, rector of St. John's Church. Friday morning prayer and litany at 10 o'clock. Woman's Guild Thursday at 3 p. m. It is especially desired that a full meeting be had. Men's Club Thursday at 8 p. m. Choir rehearsal Saturday at 1 p. m.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

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Prof. Clyde Van Steenburgh's dancing class will meet in Pythian Hall, Kingston, Friday evening. Private lessons from 6:15 until 7:30; class lessons from 7:30 until 9; assembly from 9 until 12 o'clock.

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## ORANGES.

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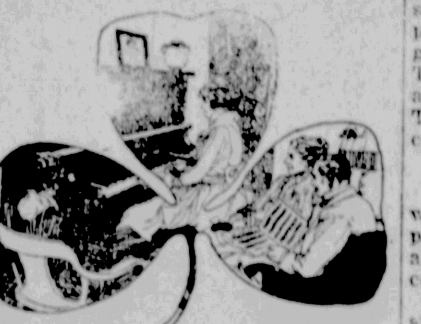
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## BROADWAY CROSSING PROBLEM DISCUSSED

Taxpayers' Association Have a Plan—Railroad's Idea to Lower Street Level—Referred to Mayor Canfield and Committee and They Are Allowed \$1,000 to Expend.

The elimination of the Broadway railroad crossing was discussed from all angles at the public hearing held by the common council on Tuesday evening at the city hall at the request of Mayor Canfield at which time it was brought out through a statement made by Mr. Abbott, assistant to the grade engineer of the New York Central railroad, that the only feasible scheme the railroad favored was the depression of Broadway under the railroad tracks, and the cost was estimated at \$240,000 which did not include any amount for damages to business or property. It was also brought out that at this time the city is not in a position to go ahead with the proposition on account of its financial condition, and after considerable oratory the entire matter was referred to Mayor Canfield and the railroad committee of the common council to consider the matter and investigate and report back to the city fathers when such examinations and investigations were completed. The mayor and the committee were allowed \$1,000 to spend in making the investigation.

## C. of C. Has Idea.

Secretary Canfield of the Chamber of Commerce was the first speaker when the hearing was held in the council chambers. He said that President Leighton of the Chamber of Commerce had been unable to attend the hearing. Mr. Canfield said that it was the opinion of the members of the re-organized Chamber of Commerce that the Broadway crossing was a vital problem and should be solved. The Chamber of Commerce had no plan to advocate for the elimination of the crossing, but would suggest that the common council get some competent engineer to make a study of the problem and report as to the best plan to carry out the elimination of the crossing.

## Mayor Canfield Speaks.

Mayor Canfield said that several plans had been suggested to him for the elimination of the crossing. He said that the plan to depress the railroad tracks was probably out of the question owing to the prohibitive cost, and he seemed to favor the depressing of the roadway under the tracks. The mayor said that he did not think it would be feasible to place the tracks above Broadway owing to the fact that there is an up grade of about 17 feet from the West Street tunnel to the union station, and he also did not favor placing the street over the tracks as it would make too steep a grade. He said another plan suggested to him was the plaza idea and that was to condemn the property between Field Court and Garden street and Broadway and the U. & D. tracks and turn it into a vast park with a new business section. The cost of this idea would amount to millions.

## C. of C.'s Idea Right.

Mayor Canfield said that he was in favor of the idea suggested by Secretary Canfield of securing some competent disinterested engineer to make a report on the problem and as to the probable cost.

## Major Everett's Idea.

Major Everett of Everett & Treadwell was present and submitted his idea of the solving of the problem. The major was in favor of running a roadway under the tracks.

## Railroad Man Speaks.

Mr. Abbott, an assistant of the grade engineer of the New York Central, said the railroad was willing to co-operate with the city in any feasible scheme. The only feasible scheme the railroad favors is the depressing of the street. The association did not believe the finances of the city were such that it would be able to stand its share of the cost at the present time. The association's idea was a partial depression of the street for fast moving vehicles and pedestrians with a roadway above ground for slow moving vehicles. That would mean half of the street above ground and half underground. The association had figured it would cost about \$300,000.

## Railroad Would Object.

Mr. Abbott said that the railroad would object to any plan calling for a partial elimination of the crossing, and believed that the public service commission would also object.

Mayor Canfield said that the plan suggested by Mr. Merritt had also been considered but it would make for a congestion of traffic at that point.

**Rev. Cranston Objects.**

The Rev. G. M. Cranston, pastor of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church did not agree with the plan proposed by the Kingston Taxpayers' Association and said that the plan did not look far enough ahead, and was not taking into consideration the growth of the city. If the city did not expect to grow what was the use of abolishing the crossing for what was good enough for our fathers should be good enough for us unless the time should come when the city would wake up and become a real city. He saw no reason for not thinking that Kingston would grow and any plan adopted for the elimination of the crossing should look forward to the future growth of the city.

## Expert Rourke Speaks.

John Rourke, advertising man and

bill distributor and famous juror in the Van Aken murder case, was also present at the hearing and delivered a speech full of ripe wisdom. Mr. Rourke was evidently not used to speaking in large assemblies for his voice was inaudible the greater part of the time to those sitting at the reporter's table, and from what could be gathered Mr. Rourke in closing said, "We are always talking about this Broadway crossing, but we can talk from now until doomsday and that is all it will amount to." The advertising expert after getting that off his mind retired to the privacy of the back part of the council chamber.

## To a Committee.

After all the orators had been given a chance to relieve their minds Alderman Connelly, who had presided at the hearing, declared the hearing closed and the city fathers adopted a resolution offered by Alderman Brown referring the entire crossing matter to Mayor Canfield and the committee on railroads and allowing them the sum of \$1,000 to spend in making any investigation needed. The committee is composed of Alderman Smith, Shults and Fischer.

That settled the crossing question for this year at least.

## HIGH FALLS.

High Falls, March 5.—Mrs. Benson Elmendorf, who has been visiting at Briar Cliff, returned home the past week. Her daughter, Miss Evelyn Elmendorf, stayed at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Krom, of Allgerville, during her mother's absence.

Miss Elizabeth Hess of Stone Ridge called at the home of Miss Mary C. Van Wageningen on Tuesday afternoon of the past week.

There were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McCausland the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus Yeaple were in town on Tuesday past.

Mrs. Irving Stokes and children have returned home. Mr. Stokes has gone to Ashokan to work.

Miss Eva Van Wageningen has been spending some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Van Wageningen.

Lewis Dyer and family are to move into the house of his father, Edward Dyer.

Mrs. Martha Sheeley is away visiting friends and relatives.

John Krom has been building an addition to the Locker House at Shaft Five, which is at present occupied by the soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Snyder spent one day recently with their daughter, Mrs. Wilbur H. Benjamin, of Yonkers.

Festus Stokes of The Clove was in the village on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Coddington of The Clove called at the home of his sister, Mrs. Martha Sheeley, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and daughter, Dorothy, of New York city, are guests at the home of Mrs. Theresa Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schoonmaker, who have been spending the winter in Poughkeepsie, returned home the past week.

Miss Belle Parker was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Krom the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mervin and son, Clyde, of Centerville, attended the play in the Reformed Church the past Friday evening.

Marion and Anna Schoonmaker of Accord were guests of relatives in this place the past week end.

Mrs. Hutchins has been to Syracuse to visit her daughter, Elizabeth, who has been ill.

The funeral of Frank Sahler was held from his home on Saturday afternoon of the past week. Rev. George Dangremond had charge of the services. Interment at Kyserike.

On account of the repetition of the play on Wednesday night, prayer service will be held on Thursday evening of this week. The topic is on "Conservation." Reference James 1:19-27.

The Ladies Aid held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. George Holmes on Thursday afternoon of the past week at half past two. There were a large number present. The officers for the ensuing year were elected at this meeting. They are as follows: President, Mrs. George Holmes; vice president, Mrs. Thomas Snyder; secretary, Miss Belle Van Wageningen; treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Barnhart. At this meeting the members of the Aid presented Mrs. Dangremond with a very pretty quilt. The gift was a surprise and fully appreciated. A most social afternoon was enjoyed by all present. Dainty refreshments were served before the departure of the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schoonmaker of Lake Mohawk were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Snyder the past week end.

Mrs. James Freer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard Purvis, in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith of Jamaica, Long Island, have been guests at the home of Mrs. Theresa Smith.

From the present, looks of the weather, spring is not very near. The recent snow fall was one of the heaviest of the winter.

The Misses Dangremond were home the past week end.

The play given in the chapel of the Reformed Church on Friday evening was a great success. There was an unusually large crowd present. The actors in the play did justice to their parts and the people felt well repaid for coming out to the entertainment. During the intermission between the acts of the play the Misses Bernice and Dorothy Dangremond rendered duets. Miss Helen Dangremond gave a reading which was fully enjoyed by all, and Miss Edna Freer sang a fetching little lullaby which was encored with great applause. The play will be repeated on Wednesday evening of this week so that any who did not hear it on Friday will have another opportunity, and undoubtedly some who did hear it, considered it such a success they will come again on Wednesday evening.

Three Licenses in Danger.

The state commissioner of excise has brought three actions against many Newburgh saloons to revoke their licenses.

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## Saturday, March 10th

On the above day we are going to move our entire store of what is left in Winter Garments at \$1.00.

## COATS

—FOR—

\$1

## HOUSE DRESSES

\$1

## BLACK SILKATOFF SATEEN AND GEM FIT PETTICOATS

\$1

## WHITE WAISTS

\$1

Many other garments will go on sale to effect a complete clearance on Saturday. We need say no more.

WATCH OUR MIDDLE WINDOW. BE THE FIRST TO SHARE IN THIS FEAST OF BARGAINS  
STORE OPENS 9 O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING

## Up-to-Date Cloak Mfg. Co.

303-305 WALL ST., KINGSTON, N. Y.

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88 Water St., Newburgh, N. Y.

## TO USE \$15,000 "STRAD."

Macmillan Has Wonderful Instrument of Old Master.

The violin used by Francis Macmillan, and the one he will play in his recital at the high school auditorium on Wednesday evening, March 14, is considered by many of the world's greatest connoisseurs as one of the two finest Stradivarius instruments in existence. It has but one equal, the violin belonging to the Crown of Spain, which by courtesy of the King, was used by Sarasate, the celebrated Spanish violinist, whose compositions are played by all students of the violin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith and daughter, Dorothy, of New York city, are guests at the home of Mrs. Theresa Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schoonmaker, who have been spending the winter in Poughkeepsie, returned home the past week.

Miss Belle Parker was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Krom the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mervin and son, Clyde, of Centerville, attended the play in the Reformed Church the past Friday evening.

Marion and Anna Schoonmaker of Accord were guests of relatives in this place the past week end.

Mrs. Hutchins has been to Syracuse to visit her daughter, Elizabeth, who has been ill.

The funeral of Frank Sahler was held from his home on Saturday afternoon of the past week. Rev. George Dangremond had charge of the services. Interment at Kyserike.

On account of the repetition of the play on Wednesday night, prayer service will be held on Thursday evening of this week. The topic is on "Conservation." Reference James 1:19-27.

The Ladies Aid held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. George Holmes on Thursday afternoon of the past week at half past two. There were a large number present. The officers for the ensuing year were elected at this meeting. They are as follows: President, Mrs. George Holmes; vice president, Mrs. Thomas Snyder; secretary, Miss Belle Van Wageningen; treasurer, Mrs. J. M. Barnhart. At this meeting the members of the Aid presented Mrs. Dangremond with a very pretty quilt. The gift was a surprise and fully appreciated. A most social afternoon was enjoyed by all present. Dainty refreshments were served before the departure of the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schoonmaker of Lake Mohawk were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Snyder the past week end.

Mrs. James Freer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard Purvis, in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith of Jamaica, Long Island, have been guests at the home of Mrs. Theresa Smith.

From the present, looks of the weather, spring is not very near. The recent snow fall was one of the heaviest of the winter.

The Misses Dangremond were home the past week end.

The play given in the chapel of the Reformed Church on Friday evening was a great success. There was an unusually large crowd present. The actors in the play did justice to their parts and the people felt well repaid for coming out to the entertainment. During the intermission between the acts of the play the Misses Bernice and Dorothy Dangremond rendered duets. Miss Helen Dangremond gave a reading which was fully enjoyed by all, and Miss Edna Freer sang a fetching little lullaby which was encored with great applause. The play will be repeated on Wednesday evening of this week so that any who did not hear it on Friday will have another opportunity, and undoubtedly some who did hear it, considered it such a success they will come again on Wednesday evening.

Three Licenses in Danger.

The state commissioner of excise has brought three actions against many Newburgh saloons to revoke their licenses.

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**Columbia Shirts**  
All men like them. Full bodies, fast colors.  
\$1.00 and \$1.50

**S. J. Eighmey**  
Broadway, Downtown

**Men's Neckwear**  
Four-in hands for Spring. Brocades, stripes and plaids.  
50c

## SPRING AND SUMMER DRESS GOODS

Regardless of present price conditions you never bought better values than these in early spring.

### Silk Poplin, \$1.00 yd.

36 in. width, in all the good selling colors, including white and black.

### Georgette Crepe, \$1.50 yd.

40 in. width, all the good selling colors, white, black, flesh, pink, rose.

### Chiffon Cloth, \$1.00 yd.

40 in. width, black, white and colors.

### Plain Colored Voile, 39c yd.

44 in. width, black, white, maize, light blue, copen, navy and rose. Extra good values 39c yd.

### Printed Voile, 25c yd.

Fancy corded stripes with printed floral design on white cloth. Make your selection early at 25c yd.

### Auto Delivery Twice Daily to All Parts of the City

Best Values and Efficient Service at Minimum Cost

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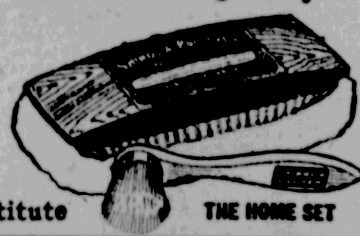
is more than Shoe Polish

It is composed of wax and oils so combined as to give a brilliant, lasting shine and to soften and preserve the leather.

### THE SHINOLA HOME SET

The handiest, most efficient shoe shining set you can buy at any price. Sold at a nominal cost to SHINOLA users.

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BLACK—TAN—WHITE  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against John J. Campbell, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Annie T. Campbell, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, at her residence, No. 90 St. James St., Kingston, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June 1917.

Dated, December 8, 1916.  
ANNIE T. CAMPBELL,  
As Administratrix of Estate of John J. Campbell, Deceased.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Kate Hasbrouck, late of the town of Marbletown, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Moses S. Davis, administrator of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, High Falls, in the said county of Ulster, on or before the 10th day of June 1917.

Dated, December 12, 1916.  
MOSES S. DAVIS,  
As Administrator of Estate of Kate Hasbrouck, Deceased.

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VAN WAGENEN'S

Kingston's Foremost Store

Bids You Welcome on This Occasion of It's

VAN WAGENEN'S

# Forty-Sixth Anniversary Celebration

While this store is old in experience, it is seeking to learn. If we can get fresh viewpoints right along, absorbing new facts and ideas, then development progresses steadily and we do not grow old.

Age with some stores comes on early, and with others it never seems to come at all. Many old people, like this old store, have younger ideas and have minds than those of more tender years.

## BIRTHDAY PARTY OF TABLE LINENS, TOWELING

1.75 all Linen Table Damask, made in Belfast; 72 in. wide, value \$2, special..... **1.46**  
\$6 Napkins to match..... **4.46**

59c Mercerized Damask, 66 in. wide, extra heavy; special, yard..... **46c**

4 yds. 15c Union Linen brown crash toweling... **46c**

3 yds. all Linen Crash toweling, for..... **46c**

59c Scarfs, hemstitched, 18x30 linen finish, embroidered and lace trimmed, at..... **46c**

59c Extra large size, colored borders and all white turkish towels, at..... **46c**

Two—reg 29c White hemmed turkish towels, for..... **46c**

Six—10c Huck guest towels, one half linen for..... **46c**

## Anniversary Beddings

\$3 to 3.50 woolnap plaid blankets, for full size bed, at..... **2.46**

\$2 white cotton blankets, extra large size, colored borders, at..... **1.46**

Two—81x90 sheets, of good quality muslin without hem, val. 1.70, for..... **1.46**

Three—25c 45x86 pillow cases..... **46c**

Two—30c 45x88 anchor cases, for..... **46c**

1.75 dimity Bed Spread, for 3-4 size bed; **1.46**

\$3 Hemmed, satin finished, bed Spread asst'd patterns, double bed size..... **2.46**

\$2 Silkoline Comforts, figured both sides; sanitary cotton filling, large size..... **1.46**

## Dress Goods and Silks

75c Storm Serge, in gray, green, navy and brown with white hairline stripe 40 inches wide, yd..... **46c**

\$2 Black and Navy Blue Crepe Voile, all wool 54 inches wide, yd..... **1.46**

75 to 100 pieces of Remnants, of all wool dress goods, all colors; worth \$1 to 2.50 at each..... **46c**

1.75 Black and colored Tulle, all the wanted spring shades; 36 inches wide, at..... **1.46**

59c Silk & Cotton Shirting, bright satin stripes of various colorings, all fast colors; 32 inches wide, yard at..... **46c**

75c Imported Natural Shantung Silks, 27 inches wide at..... **46c**

## "It's Always Better at VanWagenen's"

The ultimate success of a Store depends in the long run upon the confidence of the public in Good Value and Good Service.

Price should be the last consideration, for it is foolish economy to buy two poor articles at a low price when one good article at a fair price would give more lasting satisfaction.

Quality at a fair price is true economy—and is the test of final cost.

With VanWagenen's it is

First—Quality—that we can recommend.

Second—Service—and all that implies.

Third—Price—and by that we mean selling at as low a figure as will give us the necessary profit to keep the store running successfully.

The value of respect, good-will and real friendship is great in its influence upon the character of the relations of a store with the public from year to year. It would be dispiriting, discouraging and disquieting to feel that we were drifting along here making no permanent attachments among those who come to buy, and that our trade was only fleeting and transient and equally as willing to buy elsewhere. A store without stability in the character of its customers is like a ship without a rudder—drifting and in danger of going to pieces on the rocks.

No store can last, or ought to last, which does not recognize and accept the principle that permanent trade is a bulwark of defense against the dangers of swinging along aimlessly with the tide as it comes and goes. We believe that if there is any way to ascertain the views of the public it will be found they are all in favor of trading at the store which they can trust. In Kingston, such a store is—and has been for the 45 years—VanWagenen's.



## Hail the Flag of Freedom!

AMERICAN FLAGS, 5 feet by 8 feet, colors guaranteed. SEWED stripes. Fitted on an 8 foot finely finished pole, with gold ball. VALUE \$2.50, at

**\$1.46**

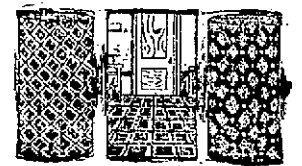
## Anniversary Curtains and Shades

White, Marquisette Curtains, with hemstitched hem, hand-drawn motif corners, complete, ready for the rod, worth \$2.00 the pair in a regular way, for our Anniversary Sale..... **\$1.46**

## Window Shade Special

Shades three inches longer than regular size, complete in a Unit package with pull and fixtures. A five-year guaranteed roller. Colors are white, dark green, medium green and yellow. Extra special at

**46c**



## Birthday Specials In Floor Coverings

AXMINSTER RUGS, seamless, size 9x12, large assortment of patterns. Anniversary Sale price..... **\$23.46**

BRUSSELS RUGS, seamless, 9x12 feet, Smith make, \$18.00 value..... **14.46**

AXMINSTER RUGS, superfine quality, 9x12 feet, reg- ularly \$35, special at **29.46**

## LINOLEUM SPECIAL

A good, serviceable grade of Linoleum, five neat patterns, two yards wide, worth 80c the square yard, at..... **46c**

## "46" In the Art Department

\$2.50 Bedroom Baskets..... **\$1.46**  
59c Stamped Centerpieces..... **46c**  
Stamped Fudge Aprons..... **46c**  
\$1.98 Leather Auto Pillows..... **\$1.46**  
98c Cretonne Pillows..... **46c**  
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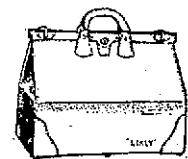
## DOMESTICS

6 yds. Regular 12c Muslin, bleached, soft finish, (limit 12 yds.) for..... **46c**

Twelve 5c Wash Cloths for..... **46c**

Three yards Underwear Crepe, pink or white..... **46c**

Five yards 10c Amoskeag Apron Gingham..... **46c**



## Anniversary Bag Special

Genuine Cowhide Traveling Bag, 16 and 18 in., 5 year guarantee, \$10 val., in This sale only

**\$7.46**

## "46" Given Great Significance Among These Articles for the Toilet

10 Oakes Ivory Soap..... **46c**  
60c Scott's Emulsion..... **46c**  
25c Box Sanitol Tooth Powder, 25c Tube Sanitol Tooth Paste, 25c Box Tooth Powder for..... **46c**

50c Tube Pebecco Tooth Paste and 15c Cell Handle Tooth Brush, for..... **46c**

12 Oakes regular 5c Toilet Soap for..... **46c**

5 Rolls Toilet Paper, 1,000 sheets in each roll, worth 12-1-2c each, for..... **46c**

2 lbs. Regular 30c Coffee..... **46c**

1-2 lb. Vantine's Orange Peko Tea, very delicious..... **46c**

PALMOLIVE SPECIAL—A 50c bottle of Palmolive Shampoo, Face Powder or Cream, with 4 cakes of regular 10c Palmolive Soap, 90c worth, for..... **46c**

## Many "46" Random Bargain Shots

### Ladies Neckwear

Lace trimmed large collars, values 75c, at..... **46c**

Two large stylish Collars; for..... **46c**

### Shopping Bags

Leather Shopping bags, various styles..... **46c**

### Ribbons

Two yards of beautiful ribbons; fancy or plait colors..... **46c**

### Mens Jewelry

Outfit Links, Scarf Pins, Tie Clasps; worth up to \$2 at..... **46c**

### Kid Gloves

2-Clasp Kid Gloves, tan, white and black, broken sizes; \$1 value, at..... **46c**

### Boys Shirts

Fancy Percales, no collars, full size and well made, 59c val..... **46c**

### Mens Neckwear

One lot of mens 50c Neckwear, at..... **46c**

### Silk Shirts

Mens Silk Shirts, good patterns value 3.98; at..... **2.46**

## Anniversary Basement Specials

OCEANAR MOPS, triangle mop, reg. 75c; at..... **46c**

12 oz. 50c bottle of OCEANAR POLISH at..... **46c**

PARLOR BROOMS, fine quality..... **46c**

GAS MANTLES, 6 inverted gas mantles, val 60c..... **46c**

OCTAGON SOAP 4 cakes, Octagon Soap Powder 4 cans, Octagon Scouring Powder 4 cans, value 60c; all for—

**46c**

WASH BOARDS, good qual. glass or zinc..... **46c**

WATER GLASSES, neatly cut; grape design, set of 6 at..... **46c**

WATER SET, Colonial glass, jug and six glasses..... **46c**

MAHOGANY CANDLE STICKS and bud vases: value 95c, at..... **46c**

A Special Table of CUT GLASS brackets, marmalad jars; vases, silver plated novelties, fancy china, sterling silver etc. val. to \$1..... **46c**

## Special Anniversary Offerings in Smart Spring Apparel and Millinery

At Remarkable Early Season Prices.

We place on sale tomorrow, an extensive showing of Stylish new Spring Suits, Dresses and Blouses, in the most approved fashions, at amazingly Low Prices.

### Correct Spring Suits

In Gabardines, Poiret Twills, Iricotines, Burellas, Jerseys and Men's wear Serges. Special Anniversary Offerings, at..... 14.46 to **49.46**

### Stunning Spring Coats

In Bolivias, Jerseys, Serges, Poiret Twills, Gunburl and mixtures: Special Anniversary Offerings, at..... 12.46 to **39.46**

### Wonderful Serge Dresses at 12.46

A Feature of the Anniversary Sale

Charming Dresses of Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine and Taffeta, Anniversary Specials, 14.46 to 49.46

New Blouses of Crepe de Chine and Georgette Crepe—On Sale at 3.46—4.46



### Monogram Stationery

60c Box of Paper or cards with envelopes, with your own monogram, 30 diff. styles..... **46c**

### Engraved Name Cards

Plate and 50 cards with your name, reg. \$1 at..... **46c**

### Ladies Hosiery

Ladies Imported Black Lisle Thread Hose; special at..... **46c**

### Ladies Handkerchiefs

Four 13c Handkerchiefs, for..... **46c**



BILLY EVANS SOLVES BASEBALL PROBLEMS

Written Especially for This Paper by the Famous American League Umpire.



PLAYERS INTERESTED IN UNIQUE DECISION

Never does "Condie" Mack protest a decision of an umpire. When his players kick, they do it in a manner that wins consideration rather than ejection from the umpire. When Mack does not agree with the umpire he debates and reasons rather than protests. He will talk the play over with you on the bench the next day, or argue it out with you on the train if you happen to be making a jump with his team.

A few years ago a play came up in Cleveland over which "Condie" disagreed with the official, but he did not make known his grievance until the next afternoon. Mack's team had the game sewed up at the time, a new official was judging balls and strikes and a word from Mack from the bench sent his players who intended to protest back to their positions. Mack desired to see the new recruit get a good start, he knew that to advance any argument that might cause the umpire to reverse his decision on a point of rule would tend to weaken his mastery of the field, and so Mack accepted the verdict as given.

The play came up with Chief Bender pitching, Ira Thomas catching, and "Joe" Jackson was at the bat. Knowing Jackson's ability to hit almost anything, Bender decided he could do the least damage to a slow one, Jackson had an old friend on two fast ones into the right field stand. With two strikes on him, he took a healthy swing at Bender's most deceptive slow ball. His club hit a little foul tip that struck his Thomas high on the chest protector. The ball came to the air. Thomas managed to catch the ball before it touched the ground and announced that Jackson was struck out. The young umpire refused to allow the out, claiming that Thomas had been aided in making the catch by the protector.

Answer to Problem

The play seldom comes up, and in a way was a rather peculiar one. The umpire would have acted more wisely, however, had he allowed the strike-out. Since the ball struck the protector and bounded squarely into the air, it was not an out. Had the ball struck in the protector at the point immediately and then rolled out, Thomas making the catch before it struck the ground, the umpire would have been right to not allow the out. The protector would have aided in making the catch. The rebound must be decided on an out. Mack, to illustrate the play to the young umpire, the next day put the following question to him: "Say that a ball knocked to the ground was hit in the sun and struck one of the players or the chest, rebounded off and was caught by the other fielder who is backing up before the ball touched the ground, what would you do?" The umpire said he would declare the man out. Mack finally made him see the foul tip play in the same light.

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RETIRED TWO PITCHERS

Did you ever hear about one pitcher who retired two pitchers with one swing of his mace?

His name is Tom Clark, the wheelbarrow backstop. On June 1, 1916 the Reds and Braves fought it to a lightning, scoreless tie. Clark started the game for the Cincinnati, and Rudolph did likewise for the Bostonians. But neither pitched it because Clark finished both of them in the twelfth.

The Reds got a man on the bag in the twelfth session and Chief Bender, then plotting the Red staff, decided to send Clark to bat in place of Toney. That removed Toney from the battlefield. Rudolph served up a twister to Clark and the catcher at once while it hit back to Rudolph. He drove him, but the bald-headed dinger on his operation.

Clark's search of a doctor.

CANAL FOR TRAINING CAMPS

Fans of Isthmus of Panama Want Major League Teams to Train There—Conditions Ideal.

Baseball fans of the isthmus of Panama are busy with their petition for a location for training camps for the big league teams. It is expected that this summer combination of the Canal zone under the care and direction of the army and naval officers are expected and that with the dry season extending from December to April the training camps for big players could not find a more satisfactory location for training this season.

Baseball is extremely popular there and the fans would be sure of good games at any exhibition games that might be staged during their stay in the Canal zone.

Drop Use of Card

There has been a great deal of talk to drop the use of cards in the game. Will some of the players who try to do it know better at the worth of the card?—on Tuesday.

LITTLE PICK-UPS OF SPORT

Peter Scott (2-05) will not be inched this year.

Unwield has a squad of 80 track and field candidates to work indoors.

A fellow can't train for a contract in a motor car, which explains why number of once promising boxers have failed.

The annual California vs. University of Southern California football game will be played on Thanksgiving day this year.

Alaska and Panama have baseball clubs, which makes it pretty much unanimous so far as North America is concerned.

When there is no greater business, writes a columnist of the Cobb. Well in 1916 this speaker was a wee bit thin when.

Well, you've got to admit that Jess Willard is neutral, strictly neutral—he does it care whom he gives a beating for so long as it is for Jess Willard.

Kansas City (Mo.) amateur boxers may take trips to Memphis, New Orleans, Denver and Boston to take part in tournaments held in those cities this fall.

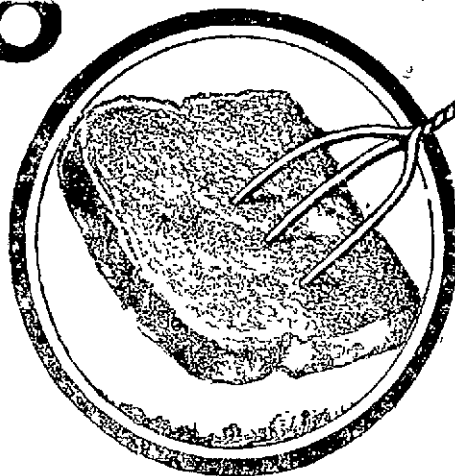
Many reasons have been advanced why division stars should be ruled out of intercollegiate, but nobody has expressed a fear that they might require a wee bit of rest.

Two Chinese, Y. C. Lee and L. H. Yip, are among candidates for Columbia University's varsity team. Lee is coming in at 135 pound class and Yip is in the 125 pound class.

The Farmer and His Foes

Good food will cooked makes better men and women. The farmer should have the best thing there is going on his farm. He is generally

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette



It's toasted

THINK of a cigarette "served" to you as appetizingly as the hot, buttered toast that comes to your breakfast table.

Well, that's the idea on this new Lucky Strike cigarette: the tobacco—it's toasted. There's a thought to make your mouth water for a new cigarette flavor.

Until we discovered the toasting principle, a good ready-made cigarette from Burley tobacco wasn't possible; flavor wouldn't hold.

Yet there was the big million-man-power affection for Burley—60 million pounds poured from those green, blue and red tin boxes last year.

The old kitchen stove—the toasting fork

So we worked five years—then came the big simple idea of toasting the tobacco to hold the flavor. Now, enjoy a really delicious new cigarette flavor: Lucky Strike—the real Burley cigarette—it's toasted.



20 For 10¢

If your dealer does not carry them, send \$1 for a carton of 10 packages to The American Tobacco Co., N.Y. City.

Our men will demonstrate to you how the tobacco is toasted—at many stores

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This Great Cast of Notables

Eleanor Henry  
Guy J. Samsel  
Lily Leon Hard  
Mortimer Weldon  
Beh Grinnel  
Gerald McDonald  
Edyth Mason  
Lottie Bell  
Jack Bell  
Caroline Cantlon  
Oaks and DeLour

JOHN CORT Presents  
"The Queen of Mirth and Melody"  
From 5 Months at the Casino Theatre, New York  
**FLORA BELLA**  
Book by FELIX DOERMANN  
Revised and Adapted by COSMO HAMILTON and DOROTHY DONNELLY  
Lyrics by PERCY WAXMAN  
Music by CHAS. CUVILLIER and MILTON SCHWARZWALD  
Combines the Charm of "The Merry Widow" with the Spirit of a "Cabare Show"

As seen for 5 months at the Casino Theatre, New York City.

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Lillian Beaudette  
Marie Clayton  
Frances Hoffman  
George Mortimer  
Alice Walsh  
Ed. Leach  
Frank Grinnel  
Sam Veau  
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1915 Scripps Booth, passenger 450
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1915 Oldsmobile, touring electric equip., A-1 525
1915 Hudson, 7 passenger 600

FARBWERKE-ROEHCST COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that the tenth annual meeting of the stockholders of FARBWERKE-ROEHCST COMPANY will be held at the office of the company at Fort Green in the town of Rye, county of Westchester, State of New York, on the 10th day of March 1917 at two o'clock p.m. for the purpose of electing directors and officers of the corporation in the event of the corporation's business during the fiscal year ending December 31, 1916, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting. Local, New York, February 27, 1917. A. H. BEIN, Secy.



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1 room cottage, Furnace street, all improvements; hot water heat. Price \$3,800.

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**BENDS IN BIG GUNS**

Their Weight Gives Some of Them  
a Curvature of the Spine.

DROP AT THEIR MUZZLES.

In Some Cases the Flexure is Great  
Enough, if Not Allowed For, to Affect  
the Accuracy of the Weapon—How  
the Defect is Corrected.

The newest American dreadnaughts are to be armed with sixteen inch rifles, and the layman takes it as a matter of course that these monster weapons are merely bigger brothers of the fourteen inch gun. But this oft-advanced conclusion is decidedly at fault. The sixteen inch gun is a more exacting engineering problem than the fourteen inch weapon, and just because of its greater length and girth and weight it is a more difficult piece to make precise in its action. The bigger the gun the more it is prone to develop troublesome characteristics, and the ordnance engineer has his cunning heavily taxed in order to neutralize or to minimize these inherent tendencies.

To begin with, the sixteen inch gun, without its mount, represents an outlay of \$175,000, that being the price paid for the materials used and the skilled workmanship. Unless fabricated with exquisite regard to accuracy the weapon is neither safe to fire nor capable of standing up to its work during a relatively short active career, measured by something like a couple of hundred rounds.

It must be remembered that a sixteen inch shell weighs about a ton—to be exact, 2,100 pounds and the powder impulse exerts sufficient energy back of the projectile to start it from a standstill and to send it hurtling from the weapon's muzzle at a velocity of 2,500 feet a second. It would not do to have that speeding shell jam in the bore of the rifle, because if suddenly arrested it would probably fracture the weapon if it did not cause a graver disaster. Therefore the ordnance engineer must see that the path represented by the bore is as nearly a straight line as it is mechanically and physically possible to make it.

A twelve inch gun of 45 caliber is forty five feet long, and except at the slight supporting point the heavy mass of the extended weapon is without any sustaining help. These monster pieces of ordnance are virtually single pivoted girders, and their power to resist bending or deformation depends essentially upon the strength of the materials employed and the distribution of the mass. Clearly, then, the bigger the rifle the greater becomes the disposition to droop toward the muzzle, and not only does this impair the shooting accuracy, but in time the weapon becomes a source of danger to its own people.

The weight of some of the big guns now in use in the navy causes them to droop at their muzzles as much as half or three-quarters of an inch, and this, if not reduced and allowed for in sighting, will make the shooting inaccurate. The tendency to droop is in direct proportion to the length of range. In fact, the projectile on leaving the gun is directed by the last six feet of the muzzle. That is to say that if the rifle has a droop the shell follows the curvature instead of taking the line assumed by the gun pointer at the telescopic sight.

The bureau of ordnance in Washington has been working at this problem as guns have grown in length and diameter of bore. At the present time the great fourteen inch weapons have an appreciable droop of only .38 of an inch. This droop is not enough to endanger the life of the gun or to impair its range, provided the sights are adjusted to it. But there is another influence at work which tends to affect this droop and to cause it to vary some hundredths of an inch from time to time. This is the weather. For instance, a gun will droop when the sun shines fiercely upon its upper side, while the under side is shaded. But so long as this total deflection does not exceed half an inch there is no danger of the shell jamming in passing along the slightly curved bore.

In the latest of our big naval weapons this droop has been still further reduced by extending the jacket or hoop further out over the forward part of the gun. This serves to stiffen the gun so that the sun has not as much deforming effect as heretofore. It may be asked, "What about the other guns now in service that have not been so re-enforced to check drooping?" The bureau of ordnance has resorted to a very simple expedient in correcting this curvature.

The deformed weapon is simply rotated in the recoil sleeve of the mount until the underside of the rifle is up permost. The muzzle then, instead of dipping actually, is curved skyward in time the natural elasticity of the metal asserts itself, and the over-hanging weight of the outstretched muzzle gradually presses the chase downward and straightens out the piece.—New York Sun.

**Well Balanced Tires.**

"Balance in a tire means that the tire must be so built as to wear evenly in all parts," said a manufacturer recently. "It would be foolish to produce, for instance, a tread so excellent that much of it would be left after the carcass had worn out and equal facilities to provide side walls that would outlast every other part of a tire. The ideal is a tire that will wear out uniformly in every part."

Time ripens all things. No man is born wise.—Cervantes.

**Expensive Ambition.**

Novelist Philip Curran says that at heart all women are cave women. But that wouldn't be so bad if they didn't want to drive up to the cave in a limousine.—Grand Rapids Press.

**CHICK EVANS**  
GOLF FLY SERVICE.

**RAD ARM AND BROKEN LEG**  
MADE EVANS A GOLFER

All sorts of reasons are given by various famous athletes as to how they came to select the particular branch of sport in which they have established their reputations, but Chick Evans, national amateur and open golf champion gives the most novel of reasons. Chick says that he might have become a baseball player after having pitched a no-hit game for his high school in Chicago several years ago, had it not been for a torn ligament of the shoulder sustained while playing the national game. Again, Chick says, he might have gone in for football if he hadn't suffered a broken leg in a high school game. After those misfortunes Chick took up golf.

**WEST SAUGERTIES.**

West Saugerties, March 7.—The entertainment given by the Blue Ribbon Society and Christian Endeavors was a success, socially and financially. The chapel was crowded to its full capacity, and make one think they were in one of the city theaters, as it was very lastingly decorated for the occasion. The music was furnished by William Hommel and Mrs. A. M. Overbaugh of Blue Mountain, who kept the audience in fine fettle between the acts. The program was as follows: before the curtain parted everyone joined in singing "America," the old song which we love so well, and after the audience was seated the curtain parted and we listened to Lena Myer recite "My Ideal." "Our Awful Aunt" was then introduced by Mrs. Lottie Myer, Mrs. Addie Whitebeck, Mrs. Nettie Myer, Mrs. Pauline Hommel and Henry Bach in first act. Song by Thelma Minkler "Our Awful Aunt." In second act, by Floyd Burton, Roland Osborn, Henry Bach, Melvin Schoonmaker, Andrew Whalen, Charley Bach, Mrs. Addie Whitebeck, Mrs. Nettie Myer, Mrs. Lottie Myer and Mrs. Pauline Hommel, ending with a song "Four Not the Cure." Dialogue by Lena and Lillian Myer. Song entitled "Hello Baby," by Mrs. Addie Whitebeck. Recitation by Lillian Myer. Comedy, "Only Joe," in three acts by Irene Mahan, Laura Bach, Ida Bach, Julia Garis, Lela Cashdollar and Willard Caro. Singing, "Kentucky Home." After the play refreshments were served by the ladies and handkerchiefs were on sale. We were glad to see people from Saugerties, Veteran, Palenville, Manorsville, and we thank them for helping us to make it a success as we needed the sum of \$25, and we also thank the people of Blue Mountain who so kindly helped us to make it a success, by giving a helping hand in using their talents.

**GLENFORD.**

Glenford, March 7.—Miss Carrie Gay spent Friday with Mrs. B. J. Baker in Kingston. T. S. Lennox had the misfortune to crack two or three of his ribs on Friday last, when he was thrown from the sleigh.

J. V. Moore has been awarded the contract for carrying the mail Route No. 7477, Montona to Glenford railroad station.

Miss Ruth Castle is indisposed at this writing.

A slight commotion on the mountain side the other evening. Fortunately did not result in a great battle.

Mrs. J. W. Moore and son, Lloyd spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with friends in Kingston.

E. W. Jones of Ashokan called in this place Sunday last.

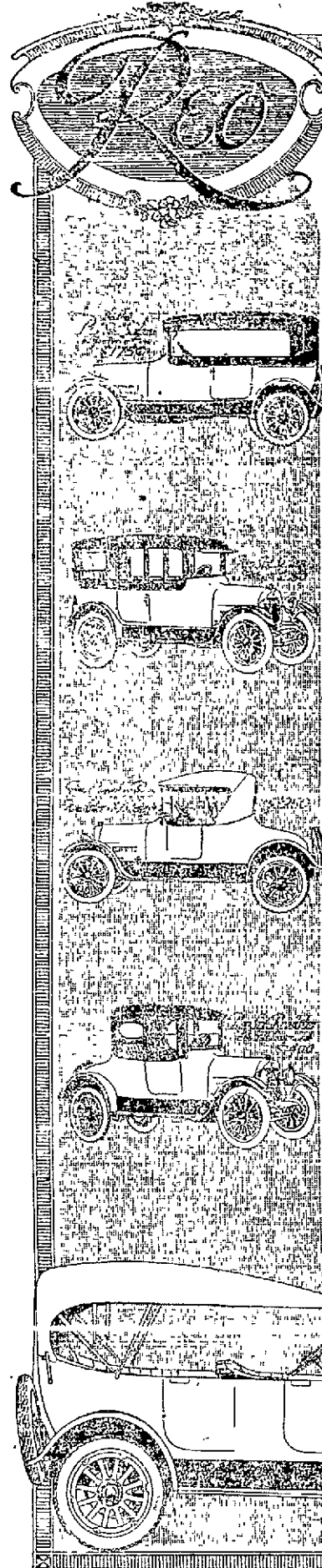
Reverend V. Moore is employed at Dedrick's drug store Kingston, for a few days.

**"Iron Police" Ordered.**

Nine "iron policemen" and one "Stop and Go" signal standard have been purchased to aid in maintaining street traffic regulations in Poughkeepsie.

**Fingernail Statistics.**

It has been estimated by a scientist that in a lifetime of 70 years a man grows nails which, if it were possible to preserve them intact, would reach the length of 7 feet 9 inches.



**That New Reo Six  
Is Certainly Popular**

EVEN REO THE FIFTH feels the competition of the big, beautiful new Reo Six. In the Popularity Contest at the show.

OF COURSE THE REOS are the center of attraction—the Reo exhibit is always the center of a crowd.

THAT HAS ALWAYS BEEN the case since the very first show. Why, without Reo it wouldn't be an automobile show—only part of one!

THIS NEWEST REO has certainly taken buyers by storm.

WHY IF WE WERE CERTAIN we could maintain the present price, we could take enough orders for spring delivery right here to absorb the entire factory output.

BUT CONDITIONS ARE SUCH—are so uncertain—that while, up to now, we have steadfastly maintained the last season's price of \$1250 f. o. b. Lansing on this improved model, yet we cannot be sure how long we can continue to do so.

WE MAY HAVE TO INCREASE the sale price at any time—for cost is constantly going up.

SO WE RESERVE THE RIGHT to increase the price of this or any Reo model at any time without other notice than this we are giving now.

AND WE CANNOT ACCEPT orders for far future delivery at present list prices. Only orders for immediate delivery.

WE HAVE INSTRUCTED ALL dealers that on orders for future delivery, "the sale price shall be the list price at time delivery is specified or made."

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS SIX—the refined, improved edition of that Reo model that was so popular last season we were unable to supply the demand by several thousands?

IF YOU HAVEN'T then you cannot appreciate the wonderful smoothness of the motor; the sturdiness of the chassis; the beauty of the new straight line body—in a word, the wonderful value this car represents.

AND, IT ISN'T "a good car for the money," merely. We Reo folk do not want you to consider it in that way.

IT IS A GOOD CAR, without a single reservation—a good car. It wasn't designed or made to meet a pre-determined price. It was built just as well as Reo experience and Reo engineering knew how—and the upholstery and finish are in keeping with its mechanical excellence.

SO FORGET THE PRICE while you study the quality of this Reo—thousands of buyers have paid four times as much in past years (and been satisfied) for cars that couldn't compare in quality with this Six.

IT REPRESENTS all that is better and surer in the advance of the science of automobile building and of body craft. It is the very epitome of Reo experience—and that the oldest, the ripest, in this industry.

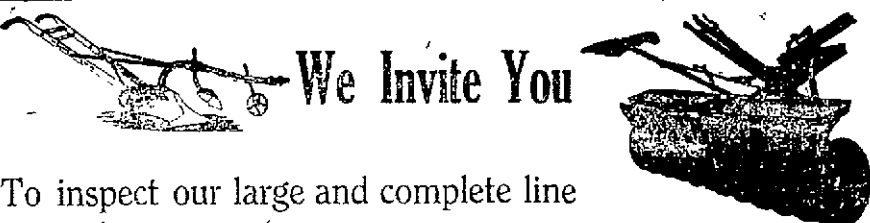
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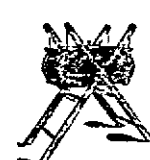
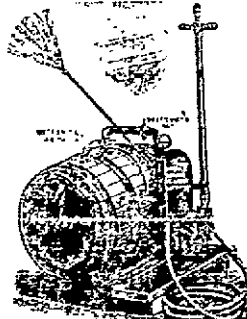
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# DETECTIVES SEEK "MASTER SPY"

Head of Kaiser's Secret Service Force in United States Still at Large—German Threatened Cautious

By Telegram to The Freeman.  
New York, March 6.—Germany threatened General Canine with the most formidable revolution he had ever known. He refused to make war on the United States in accordance with the Kaiser's Secretary Zimmermann's proposals for a German Mexico tap new alliance.

It is not too much to say that the investigation of the Kaiser's secret service force in the United States is today the most important of the Kaiser's secret service force in the United States.

Information obtained by federal authorities from a paper seized in the office of Wolf von Helldorf at the time of the Welland canal plot exposed to other with other plots of evidence enabled federal authorities here to add to the knowledge of these disclosures.

That Robert Bay lieutenant in the German army who escaped from the federal penitentiary at Atlanta while serving a term for plotting to destroy allied munition ships went to Mexico where he is now in hiding.

That \$100,000 has been spent by the German government in forming spy plots in the United States within the last few months.

That thousands of German spies are now engaged in different parts of the country in various capacities and furthering conspiracies.

That the spy system is headed by an agent of the Kaiser's government who is still at large.

That in the spy system of many an agent and numerous spied plots is apparently assisted with the results accomplished.

There is ample evidence to prove that there is a spy master of the German government in this country directing the activities of the various groups of tools and the various government officials (this afternoon) is the hub in the intricate intrigue and his agents numbering thousands are the spokes. Before von Helldorf left this country each of these agents received a considerable cash appropriation in the amount of \$100,000.

Furthermore the government of the Kaiser has been found in many of the peace societies and pacifist organizations which the authorities have investigated since the work of the Kaiser's secret agents begin to assume such a menacing scope.

Known spent the greater part of the day with Captain William M. O'Brien in the federal bureau of investigation, showing the papers seized in von Helldorf's office. Those papers that he is to do with the case against Helldorf and the Kaiser's spy system will be held before a federal grand jury tomorrow.

Known announced today that he is preparing to leave representatives of the Kaiser's secret service force in the United States to the Kaiser's secret service force in the United States.

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# "CERTIFICATE" CONCERN MOVES

Local buyers of the 'Certificates' of the Stanley & MacGibbons Co. Inc. which calls itself The Mail Order House of the Empire State have received circular letters from that concern which read as follows:

Dear Sir:  
We take pleasure in announcing the removal of our business to 171 West 17th Street New York.

The development of our business for so short a time has been wonderful and has forced us to take much larger quarters in order to enable us to handle our increased business.

We will have excellent facilities for an entire floor in our new business building.

It has demonstrated the excellence of the modern method of letting the customer share in the profits of the firm he deals with.

You as a profit share holder are interested in our success and we so desire your cooperation.

Thanking you for past favors and hoping for a continuance of same we are, Yours very truly, Stanley & MacGibbons Co. Inc.

One Kingstonian's Experience  
One Kingstonian whose family had agreed to buy a certificate visited the store at No. 171 West 17th Street.

Upon returning the store at 21 West Broadway I asked whether the certificate was a concern in the building. The man seemed stunned when I asked and left me standing while he consulted with several other men.

One man sent the other and none of them were anxious to speak to me. Finally one man came and told me to go to their office at 171 Madison Avenue.

Then he went into a back room and came out after about 15 minutes and said I could leave the order with him. I could send to the factory for anything I wanted. I said I would let him know and I must say he seemed greatly relieved when I told him good-bye.

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# DAME FASHION TO ENTERTAIN

For Benefit of Three Local Charities—Noted Musician to Give Benefit Program on Two Afternoons

The J. B. Van Wageningen Company invites the men and women of Kingston to attend the most remarkable exhibition of its kind ever presented in the Hudson valley at the Kingston Opera House on the afternoons of Wednesday and Thursday next, March 14 and 15.

At that time Dame Fashion will entertain her many modish friends and Kingston musicians of note far and near will give a selected program for the benefit of the Kingston City Hospital, the Kingston Sanitarium and the J. B. Van Wageningen Company.

In addition to the fascinating, light-hearted and most stylish costumes of Dame Fashion and her guests, T. H. Richards of the Van Wageningen Company will professionally arrange a charming plot and coach the performers, thereby insuring the success of the fashion show.

Muller orchestra will furnish appropriate music throughout the entire performance and during the final scene a program of musical fine music which will attract all music lovers of the city will be given by Kingston soloists who are entering into the spirit of the Van Wageningen management will donate their services for the benefit of the three charities mentioned above.

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# SCUDDER CHARGES DISMISSED BY COURT

The appellate division of the supreme court for the third department at Albany today handed down a decision reversing the judgment of conviction against John F. Scudder of Griffin Corners.

Scudder was convicted in June of last year in the Delaware county court at Delhi of grand larceny in the first degree and was sentenced to imprisonment for one year and six months.

The indictment of Scudder followed the clash among stockholders of the First National Bank of Griffin Corners for control of the bank management at the annual meeting a year ago.

Scudder was endorsed on several notes and to secure his endorsement five shares of bank stock held by Harold D. Judd were assigned to him as collateral security.

When the bank pressed Scudder for payment of the note he came to Kingston and visited Judd who was a local sanitarian and he claims that Judd directed him to sell the stock and apply the proceeds on the note.

Scudder transferred the stock to Fred D. Cure who was employed in the bank his father J. S. Grant, Cure of Pine Hill, agreeing to pay for it. On the day the transfer was made Judd received the money and paid the note on which Scudder was endorsed.

He immediately demanded the return of the stock (the stock held by Scudder which he later sold to Judd) and the certificate was never returned to Judd and a motion was made to prevent Judd from being heard.

The Delaware county grand jury returned indictments against Scudder, Fred D. Cure and Augustus H. Todd who was also connected with the transaction. Scudder was tried and convicted (the indictments against Fred D. Cure and Augustus H. Todd were held pending the outcome of the appeal taken by Scudder).

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# FOR YOUNG FOLKS

Sleepy Time Story Concerning a Very Vain Little Bird.

Member of a Large Family Became Proud Because It Thought Itself Smart—A Fateful Jump in the Barnyard—Pride Is Humbled

Once on a time there was a nice family of chickens living in a nice chicken yard in a charming town and the chickens belonged to a dear little girl named Milly.

Milly was very fond of the chickens. She had given all of them nice names. I can't remember all the names but there were Flossie and Fluffie and Tipple and Toppie and many others.

One of the others was Smokie. He was given that name because he looked so much like the gray smoke that came out of the kitchen chimney.

Smokie was really quite a pretty little chicken and Milly gave him a great deal of petting. Perhaps that turned his head. He became a very vain little chicken. If Milly came out to the chicken yard and did not notice him he was much displeased.

So to make sure she would notice him Smokie would hop up on the roof of one of the coops. When that didn't attract Milly's attention Smokie would flutter up on the fence.

One day Milly came out to the chicken yard with a big pan of yellow looking stuff. She set it down on the ground and called the chickens to her. Smokie must have been taking a nap on the fence for he hadn't noticed her come in.

When she called "Chick, chick, chick!" Come, chick, chick!" he turned and almost tumbled off the fence. Then he made a dive and landed right in the midst of the pan of yellow stuff.

It was cornmeal mush which Milly had brought out for the chickens. Smokie landed right in the middle of it and the more he tried to get out the more trouble he had for it was very sticky.

Milly picked him out with much in his wings and in his feathers. Oh dear! Now you'll have to have a bath, cried Milly.

So she took him into the house and washed him in warm water and Smokie felt so queer and had to sit in the basket by the fire until he was dry. The next time Smokie will watch where he jumps.

Riddle:  
Nine times my value is not a cent, he runs. Yet he who runs is certainly not poor. I give to all their daily bread and though I'm a race And driven by wind and water, yet I never leave my place.

Answer—A mill.

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## EVENTS THIS EVENING.

Howe's travel festival, at Kingston Opera House.

"The Fortunes of Fido," photoplay at Y. M. C. Auditorium.

"Youth's Endearing Charm," photoplay at Orpheum.

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## "CHANDLER DAY" A ROTARY WHIRL

### Major Chandler Gives Fellow Members of Organization Some First-Hand Information About the Mexican Border and Military Conditions in This Fair Land of Ours!

Major George F. Chandler, soldier, surgeon and man of parts and peace, jarred the consciousness of some thirty odd members of the Kingston Rotary Club at the weekly luncheon today when he told some plain truths about conditions on the Mexican border and something of the status of the military arm of the national defense. This was the first gathering of the club since the return of its distinguished member from duty and the civil room of the West Shore hotel was adorned with American flags and bunting in honor of "Chandler Day." Pink carnations adorned the tables and were afterward sent to the Kingston City Hospital.

The members had assembled previous to the usual hour of 12:15 o'clock and when Major Chandler entered at the latter time, he was greeted with three rousing cheers right from the cardiac region. "Auld Lang Syne," "America," "Tearing Tonight," and the guest of honor's own composition, "The Tenth Regimental Marching Song," followed. Songs followed through the luncheon at the close of which the Rev. Putnam Cady, the new pastor of First Presbyterian Church, was given sixty seconds to tell his appreciation of Rotary, the gentle art of angling and to introduce himself. Mr. Wilkes of Amsterdam, took a half minute to give an endorsement of the Rev. Mr. Cady, who was given a warm welcome.

Major Chandler, introduced by President Willis Hills, said he had not come prepared to talk but that he wanted to say a few words about Rotary, whose usefulness he had never realized before his call to the south. "Rotary is now the very spirit of the south," he declared, "and the way it has taken hold in St. Louis, San Antonio, Houston and other places is wonderful! It also reflects the spirit of Kingston and I am mighty proud to belong to it."

Major Chandler in opening his talk defined a campaign as a series of operations which have a definite bearing upon a war or a situation, continuing to outline the various operations down to contact and actual conflict with an enemy. It was an anticipation of war that the military went down to the border, he said, and every man believed that the army was going into Mexico. At once the work of training was started.

"Let me tell you right here that the regular army is over-rated," he declared, and he went on to say that the system was wrong, any system which prevented an enlisted man from obtaining a commission after he was 28 years old being necessarily defective. He told how the regular army lacked in training just as much, or more than the guard. Pershing's men were obliged to wait two days before seeing men on the range as many of them had never fired a rifle although they had been on the border five years. How the regular army lacked maps, so that they were easily misled by Mexican guides in their 150 miles into Mexico, was also pointed out.

The country's hope lies not in the regular army but in the National Guard or volunteers in Major Chandler's opinion and he quoted Grant's views of disbanding the regular army at the close of the war. The speaker said no sympathy with a system under which a man competent to handle men and machine guns and liking to do so is shifted to West Point to teach Spanish. He said there were other even more glaring exhibitions in regular army management that would make business men sit up if they knew them. "I think that the public should know these things," he said, "and that no dependence can be placed upon the regular army in an actual campaign."

The landing at Mission, the various units comprising a division were explained, the American idea of a division being the number of men, 22,000 that you can move and get into an action in one day. This is because of the fact that we must move over one road whereas in Germany a system of parallel roads prevails so that the army corps of 42,000 men is the unit, it being possible to move that number into action in a day.

How Mission, populations two-thirds Mexican, some white and a few whites, impressed the soldiers was interesting but at that the town did not graze off the guard in the way that other towns along the border did.

"I think the worst type of individual I have encountered lives along the Rio Grande," said the major, "have never seen such a bunch. Many of them are grifters pure and simple. The country is impossible to sand, the temperature very hot, 102 when I left on February 22nd and frequent rains going to 120 and even to 130. Of course this latter is in the sun but there's no shade down there."

Sandstorms and how the sand drifts in like snow were vividly described as were the sudden changes in temperature when a "norther" can drop the temperature from 120 to 40 within an hour. This has the effect of temporarily paralyzing the hands and caused much suffering. The major told of one story where a settler had one of a team of oxen die with the heat. He stepped to bury it and when he finished the other was frozen to death.

Only the highest praise for the New York guardsmen came from the speaker who extolled their splendid spirit through all the difficult months of drill and uncertainty as to what they were going to do next, but let it go," appeared to be the general verdict among the men.

The only advance in army mobilization that has been made in a century, the speaker said lay in sanitation and he spoke of the greater safety for the individual soldier in present day warfare, regardless of

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

### By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, March 7.—Renewed strength was noted in nearly all the leading stocks and in many specialties in the late forenoon. Steel Common, after selling at 110 1/4, advanced to 111 1/4. Utah Copper rose 1 1/2 points in all to 116 1/2 and all the other copper shares showed gains of from fractions to over a point. People's Gas jumped 4 1/2 to 99 1/2 and many other specialties were in brisk demand at advancing prices. The marine issues varied in tone. Money loaning at 2 1/2.

The tone was steady in the afternoon with price movements generally to lower levels. In some cases all the early gains were wiped out. Steel Common sold down to 109 3/4 and Marine Pfd. dropped to 75. Atlantic Gulf and Central Leather both fell 2 from the highest of the forenoon and losses were sustained in a number of the minor steel industrials.

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline Warren Building, Fair Street, Kingston, N. Y. Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

### THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers	27 1/2
American Beet Sugar	9 1/2
American Can	9 1/2
American Cotton Oil	40 1/2
American Locomotive	11 1/2
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	10 1/2
American Sugar	11 1/2
Armstrong	35
Atchafalpa	10 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	53 1/2
Bethlehem Steel Co.	140
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	82 1/2
Canadian Pacific	102 1/2
Central Leather	75
Chesapeake & Ohio	38 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	81 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	45
Corn Products	25
Crescent Steel	65 1/2
Duracell Securities	20
Eric	26
Gen. Ist. pfd.	30
Goodrich Rubber	53
Great Northern, pfd.	119 1/2
Great Northern Ore.	37 1/2
Interborough Con.	13 1/2
Inter. Con. pfd.	67
Kansas City Southern	8 1/2
Lehigh Valley	66 1/2
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd.	30 1/2
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd.	27 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	87 1/2
National Lead	73 1/2
New York Central	91 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & H.	43 1/2
New York, Ontario & Western	102 1/2
Norfolk & Western	102 1/2
Northern Pacific	102 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	84
People's Gas, Chicago	97
Pittsburgh Coal	49 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	51
Railway Steel Sp's	52 1/2
Reading	50 1/2
Reo Iron & Steel	22 1/2
Southern Pacific	82 1/2
Southern Railway	15 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd.	15 1/2
Studebaker	101 1/2
Union Pacific	134 1/2
U. S. Steel	106 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.	117 1/2
U. S. Rubber	59 1/2
Utah Copper	116 1/2
Virginia Car. Chem.	40 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	19 1/2

### WHO MOVED BRIDGE?

Most Throwing Sleight-of-hand Mystery Still Unsolved.

"Who moved the foot bridge on the Sleight-of-hand side of the Rondout creek?" is a mystery that is thrilling pedestrians to the Esopus shore to the core. The bridge was down this morning and was in use. This afternoon several women walked down the bridge onto the ice and across to the Rondout shore, where another ice bridge has been in constant use for some time past. When they started to return to dear old Esopus they did not notice anything wrong until they neared the Esopus shore when they found that some one—as yet unknown—had moved the bridge and no longer was it possible to get on shore without climbing the piling on the dock, which, needless to say, was impossible for them to do. They returned thoughtfully to the Rondout shore and from last reports returned home on the gallant craft Skillypot.

### The Day of the Hog.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 7.—Hogs today reached the highest price ever recorded in the United States when they were quoted on the livestock market at \$15. Only six double deck cars containing about 1,000 hogs, were received today and experienced livestock men said that unless unexpected shipments arrive within a few days the price will go to \$17 by next week. "During the civil war hogs sold in the local market at \$14.00."

### Chicago Grain Market.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, March 7.—Wheat closed 1/4 to 3/4 lower; corn 1/4 to 1/2 lower; oats 1/4 lower.

### Closing Prices.

Wheat—May, 187 1/2 to 190; July, 187 1/2 to 190; Sept., 187 1/2 to 190.

Corn—May, 107 1/2 to 110; July, 107 1/2 to 110; Sept., 107 1/2 to 110.

Oats—May, 53; July, 56 1/2.

### He's Dead Right.

A witty Frenchman said: "Only death is an excuse for not keeping a dinner engagement, and even then a polite man would send the undertaker to apologize for him."

### True.

"This thing of being so much in love that you can't eat," observed the man who knows, "is not infrequently caused by the high price of flowers and theater tickets."—Witt.

## LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

### Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

J. Otis Whitaker, who has been ill for several months died at his home on Cross street, Saugerties, on Tuesday evening. He is survived by a wife and four children. He was a member of Esopus Tribe I. O. R. M.

Mrs. Honora Dermody, widow of Patrick Dermody, died on Tuesday at her home, No. 43 Jansen avenue. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John Holihan, of this city. Funeral from the family residence on Friday morning at 9:30 and from St. Mary's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Willis Couchman, wife of the late Eliza Couchman, died at 1 o'clock this morning at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Andrew N. Barnes, No. 254 Albany avenue. She is survived by Mrs. Andrew N. Barnes of this city, Mrs. J. Richard Owens of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Everett E. Willis of Norwich, Conn. She was a devoted member of the First Reformed Church and a faithful attendant. The funeral will be private and the interment will be in the Catskill Cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret J. Elting, aged 77 years, died Sunday night, at the home of her niece, Miss Margie H. Elting in New Paltz. Miss Elting contracted a cold, which developed into pneumonia. Miss Elting was born in New Paltz and always made her home in New Paltz. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram D. Elting. Miss Elting was a member of the Reformed Church and worked in the interest of the up-building of the church. She is survived by one brother P. L. F. Elting and a niece, Margie H. Elting.

### ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Miss Maude A. Wesley is very ill at her home, 36 Oak street, with appendicitis.

Dr. Bowers of Main street has been called to Oxford by the sudden death of his father.

### THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Washington Camp, No. 2, Patriotic Order of Sons of America, in Mechanics' Hall, 14 Henry street.

Rising Sons and Daughters of Benevolence, at 103 Cornell street.

Rondout Social Mannerchor, in Mannerchor Hall, Strand.

Union Sick and Aid Society, at 116 Abeel street.

Mr. Horch Chapter, No. 75, Royal Arch Masons, in Masonic Hall, Wall street. The Past Master Degree will be conferred on four applicants.

Kosciusko Lodge, No. 86, I. O. F., at 635 Broadway.

Aetna Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., at 34 East Strand.

Tappan Camp, No. 1, Sons of Veterans, at armory.

### The Second Degree Will Be Conferred.

at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the rooms of Aetna Lodge, 35 East Strand.

A social will be held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Schaeffer, No. 78 O'Neil street, on Thursday afternoon. All members of the L. A. to B. of L. T. are urged to be present. The proceeds will be turned over to the building fund of national order which is planning to erect a home in Michtan for aged members.

### Baltic Safe on This Side.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, March 7.—The White Star liner Baltic, three days overdue from Liverpool, and reported to be "in trouble," was reported safe in the neighborhood of Fire Island this afternoon.

### Daily Thought.

A generous prayer is never presented in vain; the petitioner is always, I believe, rewarded by some gracious visitation.—Stevenson.

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## C. S. WOOD

297-299 Wall St.

Figured tuxedo will be all the rage this spring. The body of this pictured is deep cream color with odd figures in terra cotta contrasted with a Chinese blue. Terra cotta velvet gives the smart ruffled collar, strapped cuffs and stiffly laid. Please note the round yoke on the coat.



